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## PUPPET WANG'S SALE OF CHINA EXPOSED

### NAZI SEA MENACE IS BROKEN, SAYS FIRST LORD IN BROADCAST

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, broadcasting on the "state of war," said: "It seems pretty certain that half the U-boats with which Germany began the war have been sunk and that their new building have fallen far behind what was expected."

"So far, the small neutral states are bearing the brunt of German malice. Neutral ships are sunk without law or mercy, not only by the blind wanton mine but by the coldly-considered and deliberately-aimed torpedo, and it is only in the British and French convoys that safety is to be found. There it is 500 to one against being sunk," he said.

### Borah's Death Mourned By Chinese

CHUNGKING, January 21 (Reuter).—Chinese circles deeply regret the death of Senator William Borah.

Despite recent opposition on the part of Senator Borah to a more positive American policy in the Far East to check Japanese aggression in China, Chinese circles remember the time, 14 years ago, when Senator Borah was the man in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee clamouring for abrogation of the unequal treaties between China and the United States as well as being among the first American leaders in sympathy with the Kuomintang Government.

### AIR FORCES ACTIVE

#### PATROL WORK & RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS

PARIS, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—The British, French and German Air Forces have been very active in the past 24 hours. British planes made long-distance reconnaissance flights over North Germany passing over many towns.

#### SHOT DOWN

Similar missions were carried out by the German Air Force over North and East France. German fighters were also active over the front lines and one plane, a Messerschmitt 109, was brought down by French fighters.

Bitter weather prevails particularly in the Vosges region where the thermometer registered 11 degrees below zero Fahrenheit.

Patrol work, however, continued and one French patrol penetrated far into German territory, and had to fight their way back to their own lines through fairly strong German detachments.

### NEW SUBSIDIARY COIN ISSUE

CHUNGKING, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—An announcement made by the Central Bank of China in this morning's paper heralds the forthcoming issue of new subsidiary coins.

"The regulations regarding subsidiary coins have been revised by the Ministry of Finance," states the Bank.

"New subsidiary coins which have been coined by the Central Mint will be released for nationwide use as from Jan. 1."

The coins have not yet made their appearance.

### Abo In Ruins After Worst Air Raid

(Special to H.K.D.P.)

ABO, Jan. 21 (Havas).—The city presents a sorrowful sight following the most terrific air bombing effected by Soviet planes this morning, the worst since the beginning of the war, when 150 high explosive and 75 incendiary bombs were dropped.

Eight hundred houses are uninhabitable, and the population, forced into the streets, wanders aimlessly despite the severest cold.

#### ITALY CONTINUES AID

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Havas).—It is reliably learned that Italy has decided to continue to grant assistance to Finland despite Germany's refusal to allow war material to pass through the Reich.

An Italian steamer left an undisclosed Italian port yesterday loaded with war material and spare parts for planes.

It is also learned that an important number of Italian planes, which left for Finland on December 12, finally reached their destination.

#### GERMAN VOLUNTEER

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21 (Havas).—It is reported that Herr Klingenberg, member of the German Olympic Committee, has gone to Finland to fight against the Soviets, thereby following the recent example of Herr Otto von Zwickl, German Commercial Attaché and correspondent of the D.N.B. news agency in Helsinki.

Klingenberg has declared that he disagrees with Germany's international policy.

### FOOD SHORTAGE IN N. HUNAN

CHANGTEE, HUNAN, Jan. 21 (Central).—An acute shortage of foodstuffs and other daily necessities is reported in Yoyang and Linsiang, north Hunan towns under Japanese occupation, as a result of the disruption of communications.

Chinese guerrillas have done further damage to the highway east of Yoyang. Three large bridges have been totally wrecked.

### MANY KWANGTUNG CITIES RECAPTURED AS JAPANESE CONTINUE TO RETREAT

YUNGYUN, Jan. 21 (Central).—Tsingyuan, Yuanam, Fahsien, Tsungta, Paitam, and Chingkwu, in north Kwangtung, have all been successfully recaptured by Chinese forces, which are now pushing toward Kuntien, Sunkai, Lungchow, Sunkong, and Tsengshing.

The Japanese retreating to Canton have been subjected to attacks by Chinese guerrilla bands on the way, sustaining considerable losses.

A field dispatch states that a Chinese unit smashed into Tsengshing yesterday morning, and challenged the Japanese to street fighting. The greater part of the city is said to be in Chinese hands.

#### JAPANESE REINFORCEMENTS INTERCEPTED

ON THE KWANGSI FRONT, Jan. 21 (Central).—A thousand Japanese troops at Chennanhu, to the east of the Nanning-Yamchow highway, were surrounded by the Chinese at dawn on Jan. 18. After suffering some 800 casualties, the remnant Japanese broke through the Chinese cordon and fled westward.

Japanese reinforcements in 12 lorries were intercepted and repulsed on the Nanning-Ping highway on the same day.

#### FIGHTING IN NORTH HONAN

CHENGCHOW, Jan. 21 (Central).—Japanese troops at Kangchow and Shangkou, respectively west and southwest of Tsinyang, on the north bank of the Yellow River in north Honan, were engaged by the Chinese on Jan. 17. They were driven to Tsinyang.

On the same day other Chinese troops attacked the railway station at Po Ai, western terminus of the Taokou-Chinghua Railway.

#### THE WAR RUPER

ICHANG, Jan. 21 (Central).—Fighting is raging unabated in

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### NAZIS REMOVED FROM LINER

The British Naval Authorities announce that certain German personnel of military age, who were en route to Germany, and who would be particularly useful to the German war effort, were yesterday removed from the Japanese trans-Pacific liner, Asama Maru, on the high seas in the North Pacific, by a British naval unit of the China Fleet.

This action, it is stated, is in accordance with the usages of international law.

### Speculation Rife Over U.S. - Japan Relations

WASHINGTON, January 21 (Reuter).—As the date Jan. 26 for the proposed abrogation of the United States trade treaty with Japan draws near, there is much speculation about the position of a conversation between the two countries.



MR. CORDELL HULL

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, was cryptic when questioned and said that he did not know the date when Mr. Joseph Grew's conversation in Tokyo will be resumed.

He added: "Of course they may not."

Mr. Hull's choice of the word "conversation" is held to confirm the belief that nothing which can be termed as negotiations have yet taken place in Tokyo and that Mr. Grew's talks have been rather general than specific.

It is equally certain that nothing in the nature of negotiations have occurred in Washington.

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### FATAL MOTOR ACCIDENT IN KOWLOON

A fatal traffic accident occurred at Castle Peak Road last night, when, it is believed, about 10 persons were injured.

Circumstances surrounding the mishap are not known, as the police divulged no information when inquiries were made late last night at the Shumshupoo police station.

A lorry coole, named Chan Yau, aged about 26, is now being sought by the police in connection with the accident.

## CONCESSIONS GIVEN IN AGREEMENT WITH JAPAN WOULD REDUCE COUNTRY TO STATUS OF COLONY

### 'More Exorbitant Than Even Infamous Twenty-one Demands'

"More exorbitant than even the infamous Twenty-one Demands of 1915," is the description given to an agreement, the text of which is now fully exposed, signed on December 30, 1939, in Shanghai, between the traitor Wang Ching-wei, and a representative of the Japanese Government.

THE REVELATION OF THIS SO-CALLED PEACE PACT BETWEEN WANG AND THE JAPANESE WAS MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH A JOINT LETTER SENT TO THE LOCAL TA KUNG PAO BY KAO TSUNG-WU AND TAO HSI-SHENG, BOTH OF WHOM WERE, UNTIL RECENTLY, CLOSE FOLLOWERS OF PUPPET WANG.

### Rome Invites Nazi View On Soviet Moves

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—The Diplomatic Correspondent of the Sunday Times states that he learns on excellent authority that during the last day or so the Italian Government asking what would be the attitude of Berlin to possible Russian expansion in the Balkans.

### CENTRAL CHINA SNOWFALL

CHUNGKING, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—The season's first fall of snow is reported from many part of Central China, including Loyang, in Honan, Ichang and other cities centrally located in the province of Hupeh.

### BRITAIN REPLIES TO U.S. PROTEST AGAINST MAIL DETENTION IN WARTIME

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—The text is published of the British reply to the United States' Note of December 27 with regard to British examination of United States mail in American or other neutral ships on the high seas or British ports.

The British Government cannot agree that such examination is contrary to international law, but states that it will reduce delays to the utmost and give friendly consideration to specific complaints.

The Government recalls that the United States Government in 1916 admitted in principle the British right to search mails for contraband, which is conveyable by letter as well as parcel post with Germany as the ultimate destination though addressed to a neutral country.

The British Government declares that the position, in this respect, is identical today. Moreover, letters may be used to convey not only contraband but military intelligence.

It is in accordance with international law for belligerents to prevent such intelligence from reaching the enemy.

The Note points out that the German naval authorities destroyed, without previous warning, the vessel Yorkshire, Dunbar Castle, Simon Bolivar and Terukuni Maru,

#### "CENTRAL GOVERNMENT" PROJECT

The notes and letters exchanged between Wang and the Japanese Government related to the projected establishment of a so-called "Central Government."

The agreement is entitled, "Fundamental Points for the Re-adjustment of New Sino-Japanese Relations." Wang's concessions to the Japanese demands, which are outlined in the agreement, are far beyond anything envisaged by Prince Konoye's statement of December 22, 1938, and would, if enforced, virtually reduce China to a dependency of Japan.

The agreement provides for China's recognition of "Manchukuo," general co-operation between Japan, China and "Manchukuo," economic collaboration, and "a common front against Communism," the designation of North China and Mongolia as a special zone for defence and economic development, Japan's economic predominance in the Lower Yangtze Valley and her paramount position in certain designated islands along the South China sea-coast, including Amoy and Hainan Island.

Other highlights of the pact include:—

Japan shall station troops at strategic points in North China and Mongolia. She may also station troops and warships at designated points along the Yangtze Valley and in designated islands along the South China sea-coast.

Japan reserves the right to claim and supervise railways, air lines, postal and telegraphic services, important harbours and water routes in areas garrisoned by Japanese troops.

Chinese police, army, other armed forces their equipment, and military establishments within these areas should be reduced to the minimum.

After its establishment, the "Central Government" shall indemnify losses sustained by Japanese nationals in China since the beginning of the war.

Agreements shall be signed between Japan, China and "Manchukuo" with regard to the development of resources, customs revenues, trade relations, communications, postal and telegraphic services, astronomical and general surveys and so forth.

#### SPECIAL PRIVILEGES:

China shall grant Japan special privileges and facilities to develop and utilize resources in North China, Mongolia and elsewhere.

Japan is to appoint advisers to the "Central Government" and organizations in designated areas.

China shall adopt appropriate tariff rates and a customs system to promote commerce between Japan, China and "Manchukuo."

Japan and China shall co-operate in reconstructing a new Shanghai. In lieu of the "Provisional Government" in Peiping, a "Political Council of North China," with broad "autonomous" powers, shall be established, while the "Reformed Government" in Nanking should eventually be amalgamated with the "Central Government."

The "Central Government" shall recognize broad "autonomous" powers for Mongolia.

In the letter to the Ta Kung Pao, Kao and Tao state that motivated by patriotism, they had devoted their efforts to terminating the

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# In the World of Sports

## TWO RIDERS THROWN AT KWANTI RACE MEETING

### Thrilling Close Finishes, Moderate Dividends

Two riders were thrown off their mounts, but fortunately without any serious consequences, while negotiating hurdles at the Kwanti Hunt and Race Club's January meeting at Kwanti yesterday.

In the first race, Mr. J. G. Whittaker fell off Clowner when in a winning position at the last fence. He was found to be badly shaken but not injured. In the third race, Mr. G. W. Hook's mount, Glorious Star, dipped on taking the fence just before the straight and threw Mr. Hook heavily to the ground. Mr. Hook too was not injured.

Glorious Star was leading at the time, and the horse went on riderless to finish the course ahead of the rest of the field. Dividends on the whole were moderate, the highest being \$33.30, paid by March Brown. Three Farthings paid \$23.20 for a place in the opening event, while King's Envoy third favourite, best Old Fashioned, last fanced, for first place while Blaisdon, favourite, was third and Dow Jones second favourite, fourth. Dow Jones, with top weight, did a good run finishing well.

The weather was excellent and, with several close finishes, the large crowd present were treated to some really thrilling racing. Lady Northcote was present, accompanied by the Governor's Private Secretary, Mr. G. Trevelton.

#### RACE ONE

Diogenes, second favourite, led from the start followed by Three Farthings, best fanced, and Widnes, Glowner, favourite, was slowly away but in the straight first time past the stands, moved up into second place behind Diogenes. The leaders drew away at the dip and emerged lengths ahead of the rest.

In the run Clowner came up strongly and was leading over the last fence when it tripped, throwing Mr. Whittaker to the ground. The pony continued riderless past the post but Diogenes, who was half a length away at the time went on to win easily while Three Farthings, who was many lengths behind, got second place.

#### RACE TWO

Seventeenth of September, best fanced, March Brown, The Minx and Jack O' Lantern were in front in that order first time past the stands. At the dip Jack O' Lantern second favourite, moved up to second place, but March Brown took the lead at the home bend while Seventeenth of September and The Minx weakened. In the final run Mortmain comparative outsider, came up to finish third, while Zero, favourite, was fifth. Zero was never prominent.

#### RACE THREE

Glorious Star, Kola, Sea Urchin and Spectrum—that was the order first time round with Glorious Star lengths ahead when the field emerged from the dip. The rest of the field then strung out.

Glorious Star second was leading by many lengths when at the fence just before the home straight the horse dipped, throwing its rider, Mr. Hook, Kola, least fanced, led into the straight, but Mr. Chattey brought up Sea Urchin (favourite), nearly and went on to win with ease by thirds despite some interference from Glorious Star, who finished the course riderless ahead of the field.

#### RACE FOUR

The betting was fairly even in this event. The field was sent off in line but Ebony Idol, second in demand, soon took the lead and went on to win easily from Fel Yng, least fanced, who challenged strongly in the home run but without effect. Bistre, favourite, snatched third place from Tiny Tim in the last furlongs.

#### RACE FIVE

Although Heddin Gallant Marshall and Palmer were backed to win in that order, they finished with Gallant Marshall half a length in front of Palmer who was in turn a short-head in front of Heddin with New Bedford, least fanced, the same distance behind. It was one of the closest and most thrilling finishes ever seen at Kwanti. The field emerged from the dip in a bunch and raced down the straight four horses abreast Gog being two lengths be-

## YACHTING RESULTS

The following are the results of the 5th Cruiser Championship of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club, sailed yesterday:—

"W" Class Started 09.55  
Finished Cor. Pos. Pts.  
Tern ..... 18.57.44 15.43.45 1 10  
(Mr. J. L. Anderson)  
Mistral ..... 17.32.20 16.00.52 2 8  
(Capt. R. L. Berridge)  
Sat Long ..... 17.20.43 16.06.28 3 6  
(Mr. J. S. Dunnett)  
Curlew ..... 17.53.40 16.29.54 4 4  
(Mr. P. C. Clarke)  
Cutty ..... 18.07.10 16.41.02 5 3  
(Mr. H. Foy)  
Typhoon ..... 18.16.04 16.48.23 6 2  
(Mr. D. Campbell)

"E" Class Started 10.05  
Finished Cor. Pos. Pts.  
Norena ..... 18.35.52 16.35.52 1 18  
(Mr. P. C. M. Sedgwick)  
La Cigale ..... 18.35.52 16.35.52 2 18  
(Mr. N. Croucher)  
Donna ..... 18.47.23 16.47.23 3 14  
(Mr. E. Cook)  
Dorinda ..... 16.25.49 16.47.44 4 12  
(Mr. J. G. Dewar)  
Yehonala ..... 16.15.20 16.56.49 5 11  
(Capt. M. T. L. Wilkinson)  
Tai Wan ..... 17.07.13 16.56.51 6 10  
(Mr. J. E. Dobbs)  
Red Rover ..... 16.35.52 16.03.18 7 9  
(Mr. T. C. Fairburn)  
Highwayman ..... 17.04.25 16.09.28 8 8  
(Mr. D. F. Landale)  
Oressund ..... 18.09.31 16.09.31 9 7  
(Mr. K. Neckelman)  
No Name ..... 16.37.08 16.10.58 10 6  
(Mr. C. H. Shriver)  
Azuma ..... 16.04.17 16.20.31 11 5  
(Mr. E. B. Lambert)  
Eveland ..... 17.22.30 16.24.10 12 4  
(Mr. G. E. Way)  
Brenda ..... 18.44.15 17.05.24 13 3  
(Mr. Jensen)  
Tyronne ..... 18.55.50 17.18.31 14 2  
(Mr. B. Herschend)

#### CORINTHIAN SERIES

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's 8th Corinthian Series Race on Saturday resulted as follows:  
"A" Class Started at 14.50  
Over 8.7 Miles  
Yacht Finished Pos. Pts.  
Guri ..... 16.58.15 1 15  
(Mr. S. K. Heiburg)  
Artemis ..... 16.58.32 2 13  
(Mr. G. G. Wood)  
Jean ..... 17.01.53 3 11  
(Col. G. C. Gowlan)  
True Blue ..... 17.02.05 4 9  
(Mr. J. Garner)  
Isobel ..... 17.02.05 5 8  
(Mr. C. V. Seagrims)  
Mixed Class Started at 15.00  
Over 7.7 Miles  
Siskin ..... 16.18.30 1 9  
(Mr. D. G. G. Allen)  
Widgeon ..... 16.54.19 2 7  
(Mr. P. F. MacCabe)  
Owl ..... 16.55.08 3 5  
(Mr. G. S. Eastgate)  
Zephyr ..... 16.55.54 4 3  
(Capt. Tracer)  
Alisa ..... 17.02.36 5 2  
(Mr. W. Harvey)

1st. (Mr. Ip Kiu Ying) 1  
Mr. C. H. Chan's Old Fashioned, 140 lbs. (Mr. Yuen) 2  
Mr. S. W. Lee's Blaisdon, 168 lbs. (Mr. Chao) 3  
Won by two lengths, half-length between second and third.  
Time: 1.19.4/5.  
Parl-mutuel:—  
Winner: \$19.80.  
Place: \$7.80, \$16.10, \$7.30.  
Also ran:—Dow Jones, 161 lbs. (R. P. B. Botelho); National Dignity, 159 (Tang Man Wa); The Spirit of St. Louis, 148 (D. Black).

#### CASH SWEEPS

RACE 1  
No. 1226 ..... \$805.83  
" 201 ..... 198.88  
" 499 ..... 99.34  
Unplaced Ticket No. 1333 gets \$25.  
RACE 2  
No. 1080 ..... \$1,084.77  
" 1003 ..... 309.94  
" 1120 ..... 154.97  
Unplaced Ticket Nos. 193, 652, 537, 269 and 941 get \$50 each.  
RACE 3  
No. 877 ..... \$1,279.04  
" 289 ..... 365.44  
" 282 ..... 162.72  
Unplaced Ticket No. 878 gets \$50.  
RACE 4  
No. 08244 ..... \$9,576.00  
" 03172 ..... 2,736.00  
" 12613 ..... 1,368.00  
Unplaced Ticket Nos. 15594 and 01010 get \$760 each.  
RACE 5  
No. 1326 ..... \$1,345.12  
" 241 ..... 384.22  
" 840 ..... 192.16  
Unplaced Ticket Nos. 978 and

## SATURDAY'S RUGGER

### ARMY BEATEN BY 6 POINTS TO 3

Despite the fact that they were unable to field their full intercept team on Saturday, the Club gave a very fair display in the rugby match against the Army at Sookunpoo and won a creditable victory by 6 points (a try and a penalty goal) to 3 points (a try).

ABSENTEES  
The Club were without the services of Bosanquet, Wanklyn and Cessford, while in the Army team, Artinistall, Cuthbertson and Brinkley were absentees.

The Army pack worked well, Pinkerton being specially prominent on several occasions, of the halves Hook always seemed late in getting off the mark, but Foley was in great form.

In the Club side, Hutchison was the weak spot among the three. Soon after the kick-off, the Club opened scoring, when Henderson succeeded with an excellently placed penalty from about 35 yards in front of the posts.

The Army got moving after this, and Waite made a plucky attempt at a drop goal which failed. The Army continued pressure and Pinkerton was nearly over for a try.

Play veered back to midfield, both sides having a fair share of the exchanges when the interval was taken with the Club leading by 3 points to nil.

SECOND HALF  
On the resumption, Waikden came into the picture in a fine rush by the forwards, Marsh gathered and tried to kick into touch, but the ball went direct to Stewart, who made a splendid dash, handing off Picton and Marsh to get over near the corner flag, but failed to add the major points.

The Club took up the attack and were given a penalty, but Bidwell's attempt at a drop goal failed.

The Army rallied and only hesitation by Marsh lost them an opportunity to score. They were compensated for this soon afterwards when Richards gained possession and, evading Taylor and Henderson with a clever run, scored between the posts.

Paul failed to convert and there was no further scoring, the game ending in a win for the Club by 6 points to 3 points.

THE TEAMS  
CLUB INTERCEPT XV:—J. R. Henderson; D. H. Stewart, J. Hutchison, H. D. Bidwell and H. van Leeuwen; J. C. Charter and J. M. Thomson; A. F. Waikden (Capt.), K. W. Salter, R. E. Heasman; B. Hynes, C. F. Needham; G. B. Godfrey, A. J. G. Taylor and J. Redman.

ARMY:—L. Cpl. Picton (R.E.); L. Bdr. Richards (8th H.R.A.), Tel. Paul (Navy), L. Cpl. Waite (R.E.) and Bdr. Marsh (8th H.R.A.); Capt. Hook (R.A.) and L. Cpl. Foley (R.E.); Lieut. Hewitt (Mdx. R.), Corp. Sutherland (R.S.), Pte. Coomb (R.S.); L. Bdr. Evans (8th A.A.R.A.); Sergt. Page (8th A.A.R.A.); Lieut. Pinkerton (R.S.), Pte. Berry (Mdx. R.) and Cpl. Sheldrake (R.E.).

## OVERWHELMING WIN FOR POLICE

The Police overwhelmed a Club "A" XV by 29 points (one goal and eight tries) to nil.

This was a particularly fine win as the Police lost the services of their fly-half, Leslie, at half time due to a hand injury.

Wright-Noth was outstanding for the Police as wing-forward.

The scorers for the Police were Rose, Wright-Noth, Wilson and Luscombe in the first half, and Wilson, Jackson, Luscombe, Fay and Reynolds in the second half. The last try scored by Reynolds was converted by Fay.

## SPORTING FIXTURES

TO-MORROW  
BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A., Badminton, in the West Lounge, 6 p.m.  
131 get \$50 each.  
RACE 6  
No. 164 ..... \$1,289.90  
" 852 ..... 384.55  
" 435 ..... 184.27  
Unplaced Ticket Nos. 1205, 955 and 585 get \$50 each.

## SAINTS LOSE OPPORTUNITY OF SHARING POINTS WITH S. CHINA B: MISSED PENALTY

In an evenly contested match played at Caroline Hill on Saturday, South China "B" defeated St. Joseph's by the narrow margin of 3 goals to 2 in the Second Round of the Senior Football Shield.

The Saints were unfortunate to lose the match through their failure to score a penalty in the closing minute of the play.

Sammy Tsang, the Saint's goalkeeper, was back in the field, having recovered from his head injury sustained recently, and played well to ward off many attacks.

CHINESE SCORE  
The Chinese opened the scoring five minutes after play through Chan Tak-fai, who tipped the ball in from a save by Sammy Tsang. Ten minutes later A. V. Gosano scored the equaliser and the score stood at 1-1 when towards the end of the first half, Chan Tak-fai netted another point.

THE EQUALISER  
Soon after the resumption, Leonard scored the equaliser, but the Chinese again took the lead about 15 minutes later through Chan Tak-fai, who sent in an easy shot from near the goalmouth.

In the last minute of the game, the Saints were awarded a penalty, but their hopes of making a draw of the game were blasted when Gosano kicked over the bar.

## FIRST DIVISION: EASTERN WIN

Playing at Causeway on Saturday, Eastern beat a Navy XI by three goals to nil in the First Division Soccer League.

The sailors played a good game in the first half of the match, but failed to take advantage of the chances open to them.

Hsu King-shing opened the score just before the end of the first half, and Fung Kwan-shing and Cheung Kam-hoi each netted a goal in the second half to give Eastern an easy victory.

## 4 GOALS SHARED

Displaying unusual vigor, the Club were able to hold Kwong Wah with whom they shared four goals when they met at Happy Valley in the First Division Football League on Saturday.

Kwong Wah fielded a strong side but in spite of this advantage, failed to press home a victory.

Wong King-cheung scored the first goal soon after the kick-off and Lau Fook-chuen added another point to give Kwong Wah the lead.

Just before the interval, Fowler netted a shot from close range.

The Club was then awarded a penalty and Fowler made good use of the opportunity to score the equaliser.

## A DULL GAME

Playing at Boundary Street, the Police XI defeated the Kowloon 5th A.A. Regt 14 1 4 9 10 38 6

## STEEL COULSON AND H. B. LEAGUES

The following are the results of matches played in the Steel Coulson and H.B. League:—  
Talkoo Club 2 v. C. & P.O.R.C. 1  
C.C.C. v. H.K.P. 3; C.S.C. 2 v. R.A.F. Sergts. 1; Garrison "A" 1 v. D.R.C. 2.

## BILLIARDS LEAGUE TABLE

P. W. L. F. A. Pts.  
C.S.C.C. .... 12 11 1 29 7 29  
H.B. Club .... 11 10 1 26 7 28  
D.R.C. .... 12 10 2 25 11 25  
C.C.C. .... 11 6 5 18 15 18  
H.K. Police .... 11 6 5 18 15 18  
Talkoo Club .... 11 7 4 17 16 17  
C. & P.O.R.C. .... 11 5 6 17 16 17  
Prison O.C. .... 12 5 7 16 20 16  
Garrison "A" .... 11 4 7 14 19 14  
R.A.F. Sgts. .... 10 3 7 12 18 12  
R.E. Sgts. Mess 11 3 8 11 22 11  
Navy Police .... 11 2 9 9 24 9  
Garrison "B" .... 10 10 0 4 26 4  
Highest Break: Mr. Gowlan (P.O.C.) 60.

## SNOOKER

Talkoo Club 0 v. C. & P.O.R.C. 3; C.C.C. v. H.K.P. 3; C.S.C. 3 v. R.A.F. Sergts. 0; Garrison "A" 1 v. D.R.C. 2.

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CHINESE SCORE  
The Chinese opened the scoring five minutes after play through Chan Tak-fai, who tipped the ball in from a save by Sammy Tsang. Ten minutes later A. V. Gosano scored the equaliser and the score stood at 1-1 when towards the end of the first half, Chan Tak-fai netted another point.

THE EQUALISER  
Soon after the resumption, Leonard scored the equaliser, but the Chinese again took the lead about 15 minutes later through Chan Tak-fai, who sent in an easy shot from near the goalmouth.

In the last minute of the game, the Saints were awarded a penalty, but their hopes of making a draw of the game were blasted when Gosano kicked over the bar.

## FIRST DIVISION: EASTERN WIN

Playing at Causeway on Saturday, Eastern beat a Navy XI by three goals to nil in the First Division Soccer League.

The sailors played a good game in the first half of the match, but failed to take advantage of the chances open to them.

Hsu King-shing opened the score just before the end of the first half, and Fung Kwan-shing and Cheung Kam-hoi each netted a goal in the second half to give Eastern an easy victory.

## 4 GOALS SHARED

Displaying unusual vigor, the Club were able to hold Kwong Wah with whom they shared four goals when they met at Happy Valley in the First Division Football League on Saturday.

Kwong Wah fielded a strong side but in spite of this advantage, failed to press home a victory.

Wong King-cheung scored the first goal soon after the kick-off and Lau Fook-chuen added another point to give Kwong Wah the lead.

Just before the interval, Fowler netted a shot from close range.

The Club was then awarded a penalty and Fowler made good use of the opportunity to score the equaliser.

## A DULL GAME

Playing at Boundary Street, the Police XI defeated the Kowloon 5th A.A. Regt 14 1 4 9 10 38 6

## STEEL COULSON AND H. B. LEAGUES

The following are the results of matches played in the Steel Coulson and H.B. League:—  
Talkoo Club 2 v. C. & P.O.R.C. 1  
C.C.C. v. H.K.P. 3; C.S.C. 2 v. R.A.F. Sergts. 1; Garrison "A" 1 v. D.R.C. 2.

## BILLIARDS LEAGUE TABLE

P. W. L. F. A. Pts.  
C.S.C.C. .... 12 11 1 29 7 29  
H.B. Club .... 11 10 1 26 7 28  
D.R.C. .... 12 10 2 25 11 25  
C.C.C. .... 11 6 5 18 15 18  
H.K. Police .... 11 6 5 18 15 18  
Talkoo Club .... 11 7 4 17 16 17  
C. & P.O.R.C. .... 11 5 6 17 16 17  
Prison O.C. .... 12 5 7 16 20 16  
Garrison "A" .... 11 4 7 14 19 14  
R.A.F. Sgts. .... 10 3 7 12 18 12  
R.E. Sgts. Mess 11 3 8 11 22 11  
Navy Police .... 11 2 9 9 24 9  
Garrison "B" .... 10 10 0 4 26 4  
Highest Break: Mr. Gowlan (P.O.C.) 60.

## SNOOKER

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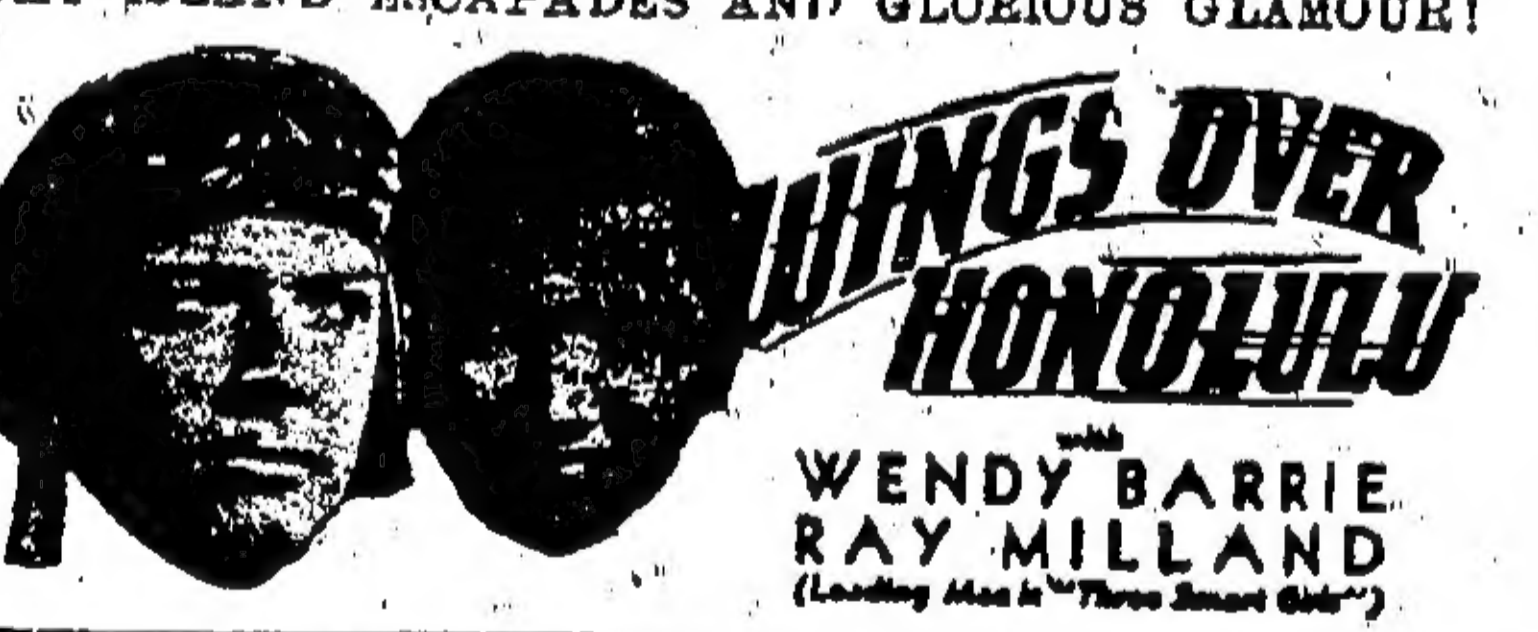
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### URBAN COUNCIL ELECTION

Notification that a vacancy has occurred on the Urban Council necessitating an election is given in the Government Gazette issued on Saturday. Nominations of candidates to fill the vacancy are invited.

The last election was held in January 1932.

It is pointed out that each nomination must be in writing, signed by two electors, countersigned by the candidate and delivered in a sealed envelope to the Presiding Officer at the Registry, Supreme Court not later than 1 p.m. on Wednesday, January 31.

Nomination forms may be obtained at the Registry, Supreme Court, where the registers of electors referred to in section 3 of the Urban Council Ordinance, 1935 may be inspected.

It is pointed out that it is the

### H.K. UNIVERSITY CHARITY DANCES

Attesting to the popularity and patriotic purpose of the Hongkong University Union Charity Dance, held on Jan. 6, 1940, a net profit of \$618.22 is revealed in the financial report of Mr. C. K. Lee, Hon. Secretary of the H. K. U. Union.

Under the auspices of the Hongkong University St. Stephen's Hall, a Flannel Charity Dance is being held in aid of the Chinese War Orphans, at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 10, in the Great Hall of the University. Admission tickets at \$1.50 per head are obtainable at the Union Office.

duty of every candidate to satisfy himself that his nomination form is correctly completed before delivery thereof to the Presiding Officer.

### COMING EVENTS

JAN.

22-Tides: High 8.08 a.m. and 8.51 p.m.; Low 1.51 a.m. and 12.15 p.m.  
Sunrise: 7.06 a.m.; Sunset: 6.51 p.m.  
First H.K.V.D.C. Camp Starts at Fanling.  
St. Andrew's Club, Hotch-Potch Evening.  
Compulsory Service Tribunal, 4.15 p.m.  
Crown Land Sale, P.W.D., 3 p.m.  
Y.M.C.A. War Work, 10 a.m.; Whist Drive, 8.30 p.m.  
Cheero Club Dance, 8.30 p.m.  
Kowloon Union Church Hall: Chinese Industrial Co-operatives Exhibition, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Art Exhibition at St. Francis Hotel, H.K. Singers' Rehearsal, Union Church, 8.30 p.m.  
Rosary Church, Kowloon: Celebration of Feast of St. Agnes, Military Police Mess, Whist Drive, 9 p.m.  
Ladies Working Party (B.W.O.P.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.  
23-Tides: High 8.58 a.m. and 7.45 p.m.; Low 2.31 a.m. and 1.10 p.m.  
Sunrise: 7.06 a.m.; Sunset: 6.54 p.m.  
Busy Bees Bridge and Mah Jongg Drive, Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m.  
H.K. Rotary Club Timm Mtg., 1 p.m.  
Y.M.C.A. Contract Bridge Class, 10 a.m.; Badminton from 6 p.m.  
Cheero Club Whist Drive, 8.45 p.m.  
24-H.K.R.A. Shoot  
C.B.A. "Hot" Snout Dinner, 8.30 p.m.  
Claims against H.K. Meat & Dairy Produce Co. (In liquidation) due. Y.M.C.A. Badminton (all day).  
Cheero Club Dance, 8.30 p.m.  
Lawn Bowls: H.E. the Governor's Team v. Mr. Brayfield's Team, Govt. House, 3.15 p.m.  
25-Theosophical Society, 6 p.m.: Speaker: Mr. J. L. Radaway "Theosophy within Christianity and all Great Religions".  
Burns Night Dinner, Peninsula Hotel, 7.45 p.m.  
St. Andrew's Club: Lecture in Church Hall.  
Chess Championship.  
R.N. Yard Police Recreation Room, Whist Drive, 8.30 p.m.  
Cathedral Scouts, Bishop's House, 8.30 p.m.  
Ladies Bible Study, 216, Nathan Road, 10.30 a.m.  
H.K. Y's Men's Club Timm Mtg., St. Francis Hotel, 1 p.m.  
Cheero Club Contract Bridge Lesson, 8 p.m.  
Union Church Hall, Work Party (B.W.O.P.).  
Y.M.C.A. Games Morning, 10 a.m.; St. John First Aid Lecture, 10 a.m.; Ladies Night Dinner, 7.30 p.m.  
26-St. Andrew's Club, Whist Drive 8.45 p.m.  
Compulsory Service Tribunal, 4.15 p.m.  
Y.M.C.A. Badminton (all day); Cheero Club, Dart, Ping-Pong and Billiards.  
27-Third Round of Stubbs Shield Golf Competition due to be completed.  
H.K.R.A. Shoot  
Lai Wah Cup Football (Army v. Navy), Causeway Bay.  
Colony Ladies Tennis Championship Singles Final, U.S.R.C., 3 p.m.  
28-H.K. Riding School Gymkhana, 10 a.m.  
H.K.R.A. Shoot  
Macao Races  
Lai Wah Cup Football (Army v. Navy), Causeway Bay.  
St. Andrew's Club—1st Kowloon Scouts Church Parade, 11 a.m.  
29-Compulsory Service Tribunal, 4.15 p.m.  
30-Second H.K.V.D.C. Camp Starts at Fanling.  
31-H.K.R.A. Shoot  
Entries close for Trinity College of Music Practical Examination.

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12.15 p.m. Short Service of Intercession.

12.30 Jessie Matthews (Vocal) and the London Palladium Orchestra.

Master Melodies—Intro: March "Casse Noisette"; Suite: Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2; Taurin; Moment Musical; Romance; Waltz; Spring Song; Invitation to the Waltz; Hungarian Dance No. 6—London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Green.

Let Me Give My Happiness To You (film "The Good Companions")—Jessie Matthews (Soprano) with Orchestra. Love Makes The World Go Round (from "These Foolish Things")—When You Dream About Hawaii (from "These Foolish Things")—London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Clifford Greenwood. Soloists: Gerry Fitzgerald, When You've Got A Little Springtime In Your Heart (film "Evergreen"); Tinkle, Tinkle, Over My Shoulder (film "Evergreen")—Jessie Matthews (Soprano) with Orchestra. A La Minute (Two Little Dances)—Finck; A La Carotte (Two Little Dances)—Finck; The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Green.

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Charlie Kunz at the Piano.

Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. 8: 12-Intro: You are my lucky star; I've got a feelin' you're foolin'; She's Funny that Way; Did you ever have a feeling you're dying? A little dash of Dublin; Everything's in Rhythm with my heart; Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. 2—Intro: Deep Purple; They say: One life; The masquerade is over; Beer Barrel Polka.

1.15 Jimmy Dorsey and His Orchestra.

Fox-Trot—Parade of the Milk Bottle Caps; Don't Look Now; Fox-Trot—Is It True What They Say About Dixie? Robins and Roses; Fox-Trot—So Do I.

1.30 Reuter & Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Variety.

Fox-Trot—Serenade To An Empty House; Waltz—The Little Golden Ring—Billy Thorburn & His Music; Piano—Evening in Paris (Young); Sunrise Serenade (Carle)—Patricia Rossborough; Dance Craze—Well All Right (Howell and Others); Shoot The Likker To Me John Boy (Artie Shaw)—Nat Gonella and His Georgians with Vocal by Nat Gonella. Vocal and Piano—Why Begin, Again (Shaw and Others); The Moon Remembered But You Forgot (Gay)—"Hutch" (Leslie Hutchinson); Fox-Trot—White Sails; Slow Fox-Trot—Moon Love—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra.

2.15 Close down.

6.00 For the Children.

The Table and The Chair (from Three Nonsense Songs)—Hely-Hutchinson—Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra. The Town Mouse and The Country Mouse Part II. Studio—Story by Aunt Susan. Little Drummer Boy (Poles)—Gracie Fields (Vocal) with Orch.

6.30 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

6.52 Maxine Sullivan (Vocal) in Swing Music.

Fox-Trot—Roll Em; Afraid To Dream (film "You can't have everything")—Benny Goodman and His Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Darling Nellie Grey—Maxine Sullivan (Vocal) with Orch. Fox-Trot—Frost-Chat; Non-Stop Flight—Artie Shaw and His Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Dark Eyes; A Brown Bird Singing—Maxine Sullivan.

11.00 Close down.

(Vocal) with Orch. Fox-Trot—Jam Session; Chloë—Benny Goodman and His Orchestra.  
7.00 Variety with Elaine and Doris Waters, John Henry and The Duncan Sisters and Others.  
Comedienne—Gert and Daisy "Spry Cleaning" (E. & D. Waters); That's The Worst Of Having People Upstairs (Kamih and George West-ern—Elise and Doris Waters with Piano. Quickstep—Hot Pie, Part 1; Slow Fox-Trot—Hot Pie, Part 2—Scott Wood and His Six Swingers. Vocal—Ti-Pi-Tin (Leaven-Greer); Adam and Eve (Duncan Sisters); Harry Granat—The Duncan Sisters with Two Piano. Rumbous—The Bullfighter (Ravens)—John Henry assisted by Gladys Horridge; Waltz Memories—Intro: Ciribiribin; Gypsy Moon; One Night of Love—Trotse and His Mandolins with Vocal by Don Carlos.

7.30 London Relay—The News.

8.00 Local Time Signals, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 This week's programmes.

8.05 An hour of Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—Supping; Six-Eight—Sarah, The Sergeant Major's Daughter—Max Murray and His Music Makers. Fox-Trot—I Feel Like A Feather In The Breeze (film "Charm School"); Life Begins When You're In Love (film "The Music goes round and round")—Roy Fox and His Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Are You In Love With Me Again? When You're Smiling—Cab Calloway and His Orchestra. Waltz—The Dawn of Love; Tango—Majanihi—Dajos Bela Dance Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Chasing Shadows; Kiss Me Goodnight—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. Blues—Where The Lazy River Goes By (film "Banjo on my Knee"); Quickstep—With A Banjo On My Knee (from the film)—Teddy Foster and His Kings of Swing. Fox-Trot—On A Typical Tropical Night; Let's Call A Heart A Heart (film "Pennies from Heaven")—George Elliott & His Sweet Music Makers. Tango—Havana Heaven; Rumba—Ruba, Pete—Mankomani and His Tipic Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Love, Please Stay; Waltz—One Kiss In A Million—Henry Jacques with His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra. Fox-Trot—The Night Is Young, and You're So Beautiful—Roy Fox and His Orchestra.

9.05 Studio—Comments on Recent Events.

9.15 London Relay—News Summary.

9.30 Beethoven—Sonata in C Sharp Minor, Op. 27, No. 2 ("Moonlight"). Wilhelm Backhaus (Piano).

9.45 Haydn—Symphony No. 92 in C Major ("Oxford").

Orchestra De La Societe Des Concerts Du Conservatoire conducted by Bruno Walter.

10.05 Songs by Elisabeth Schumann (Soprano).

With a Coloured Ribbon (Goethe-Beethoven). Where The Bee Bucks (Shakespeare-Arne); The Early Morning (Belloc-Peel); A Song In The She-Gallant (Eccles, arr. Bernard)—with Piano accompaniment.

10.17 Albert Sandier (Violin) and His Orchestra with Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Song of Paradise (King); Always (from "Puritan Lullaby"—Smith)—Albert Sandier (Violin) assisted by Sarneshini (Cello) Byfield (Piano) and Torch (Organ). Halfway To Heaven (film "The Street Singers"); If You Only Knew from "Crest of the Wave"—Albert Sandier and His Orchestra. Young Briton's Heritage (Hennessy); Our River Thames (Hennessy)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Piano. Dusty Violin (Ver-non and Brooke); With You (film "Brief Ecstasy")—Albert Sandier and His Orchestra Vocalist: Marjorie Redeford. Good Green Acres of Home (film "Sweet Music")—The Strong Co. On (Pat Tynes)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra. The Violin Song (from "Tina"—Paul Rubens); L'Heure Exquise (Haydn)—Albert Sandier (Violin) assisted by Byfield (Piano) and Sarneshini (Cello). Around The Danube (Paraphrase on "Waves of the Danube"—Chernin); Dolna Voda (Romanian Gipsy Dance—de Maistre)—Albert Sandier and His Orchestra.

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Mondays—Background

To the News 11.00 p.m.

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# WAVE OF SORROW SWEEPS OVER U.S. CAPITAL

## Iron Grip Of Winter Bitter Arctic Weather

LONDON, Jan. 20 (Reuter).—The waters of the Great Belt, between the Danish islands of Seeland and Fuen, and the Oresund Straits, between Seeland (Denmark) and the coast of Sweden are so ice-bound that ice-breakers have to precede all ships wishing to navigate them.

Many steamers are stuck fast in the ice in the narrow Oresund Straits.

### IRON GRIP.

A record winter binds Europe in an iron grip.

In Finland's "waist line" 100 degrees of frost have been registered.

At Corunna, home of the famous Corona cigars, the first snow has fallen for 140 years.

In Sardinia the population has experienced the first snow ever known.

### SNOWSTORMS

Violent snowstorms have swept Hungary in the past 24 hours, being especially fierce in Upper Hungary, where lines of communication have been cut and railway traffic suspended, and only the main telephone line to Budapest is working.

### SNOW IN ROME

There was a fresh fall of snow in Rome last night, making the second snowfall within three weeks—an extremely rare event in the meteorological records of the Italian capital.

### PARIS 'PERISHES'

PARIS, Jan. 20 (Reuter).—Paris is suffering from colder weather than ever, and today 35 degrees of frost were registered in one of the suburbs.

## GOOD STUDENT SPIRIT

CHUNGKING, Jan. 21 (Central).—Mr. Chen Li-fu, Chinese Minister of Education, who returned here on Thursday after a visit to Yunnan and Kweichow, declared in an interview yesterday that he was deeply impressed with the excellent spirit of the students in those two provinces.

He was gratified at the marked progress in primary education but said that middle school education needs further improvement.

He regretted the lack of science apparatus in various schools, universities and colleges.

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## SENATOR BORAH'S DEATH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (Reuter).—A wave of sorrow swept the capital at the news of Senator Borah's death, in his 75th year, on Friday night.

President Roosevelt praised the late Senator as "a unique figure," whose passing leaves a void in American life.

Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, said: "In his death the country loses a fearless statesman ever faithful to his principles."

Eulogistic comments poured into the newspaper offices from legislators of all parties.

### LAST HOURS

The late Senator died of cerebral hemorrhage following an accidental fall in his home.

He was apparently free from pain during the last hours according to those watching at the bedside. From the time he was stricken, he rarely regained consciousness.

When he did he called for Mary, his wife, who never left the bedside. As death appeared imminent, a nurse hurriedly summoned the doctor, but Senator Borah was dead before the doctor arrived.

### HIS CAREER

Senator Borah, for many years chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, was chiefly known in England for his outspoken criticisms of European affairs.

William Edgar Borah was born on June 29, 1865. He was educated at Southern Illinois Academy, Englefield, and Univ. of Kansas, and admitted to the Bar in 1889.

He practised at Lyons, Kansas, from 1890-91; Boise and Idaho, since 1891.

He was elected U.S. Senator for terms 1907-13, 1913-18, 1918-25, 1925-31, 1931-36, 1937-42.

He was Dean of the United States Senate at the time of his death.

The late Senator was the son of William N. Borah; he was married in 1895 to Mamie McConnell, of Boise, Idaho.

## NEW TYPES OF NAZI RAIDERS

### LATEST U-BOAT CONSTRUCTION

LONDON, Jan. 20 (Reuter).—Reports from Montevideo suggest that the Germans are using a new type of ocean raider.

Latest vessel is the Altmarm, which is said to have a speed of 25 knots.

### SPECIAL CELLS

She is armed with three 6-inch guns, anti-aircraft guns and special cells for the crews of any ships she may sink.

The Altmarm is masquerading under neutral flags and various false names.

She was formerly supply ship to the Admiral Graf Spee, and her main function has been so far that of supplying Nazi surface raiders.

### SMALL SUBMARINES

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## NEWSETTES

The standard price for Quaker Oats, in tins 20 oz. is 82 per tin.

Mr. David Lole is appointed a Government Chemist.

Mr. Sydney George Davis, B. Sc. has also been appointed a Master in the Education Department.

The appointment of Mr. H. Ahmed to act as a Public Vaccinator is cancelled.

Nine Indian constables of the H.K. Police Force returned from leave in India on Saturday.

Inspector E. H. Tunn arrived in Hongkong on Saturday from Singapore.

The name of Dr. Lim Soon Knoi, M.B., B.S. (Hongkong) has been added to the Register of Medical Practitioners.

Mr. Thomas Oliver Morgan, B. Sc. (Wales) has been appointed as an Engineer, Public Works Department.

Mr. Stanley Crathern Feltham, A.R.I.B.A., Chartered and Registered Architect, has been appointed an Executive Engineer.

Mr. Humphrey John Clutwell resumed duty as District Officer in the Southern District of the New Territories on Jan. 16, 1940.

Mr. Geoffrey Shervill Coxhead, B. Sc., is appointed to be a Master in the Education Department with effect from Jan. 16, 1940.

Mr. Brian Charles Keith Hawkins has been appointed to be attached to the Imports and Exports Office for special duties.

Lt.-Commr. H. G. R. Blinnis, Sub-Lieut. C. J. Collingwood, and Sub-Lieut. R. S. Robson arrived in the Colony on Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Hornby and Mr. C. C. Shilton arrived in the Colony on Saturday. Mr. E. W. Druce also arrived by the same steamer.

Mr. H. M. Le Marchand, Mr. W. W. Murdoch and Mr. R. K. Tarbet were among the passengers who arrived in the Colony on Saturday on board a British steamer.

Lieutenant-Commander James Jolly, R.N.R., has been appointed Deputy Harbour Master Hongkong. He arrived in the Colony on Jan. 15 and assumed duty on Jan. 16.

His Excellency the Governor has awarded the Efficiency Medal to Company Sergeant Major Henry Maria Britto, of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Commander Thomas Charles Siff, R.D., R.N.R. (Retired), F.R.S.A., A.I.N.A., resumed duty as Assistant Harbour Master on Jan. 16, 1940.

Mr. Edward Irvine Wynne-Jones, who has been Postmaster General since December 1936, has been appointed Labour Officer with effect from Jan. 15, 1940.

Frederick Bertiam Blakey, John McCallum Pearson, William Arthur Alexander Ferguson and George Edwards have been permitted to quit the Hongkong Defence Reserve.

Mr. Ernest Hillas Williams, resumed duty as Crown Counsel on Jan. 16, 1940. Mr. Williams returned from home leave last week accompanied by his wife and daughter.

The Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Hongkong, French, Indo-China, has addressed a telegram to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek congratulating on the recent Chinese success in north Kwangtung.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has ordered the Kwangtung Provincial Government to relieve the war refugees and grant pensions and rewards to the civilians who helped in the recent resistance in north Kwangtung.

His Majesty the King has been pleased to approve the appointment of the Hon. Sir Henry Edward Pollock, Kt., K.C., LL.D. to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council for a further period of four years with effect from Jan. 17, 1940.

Mr. P. K. Chu, who has been appointed Vice-Consul for China at Manila, will leave Hongkong for his post on January 25. He will be succeeded as Secretary-General of the Sino-American Cultural Association by Mr. David Lu, manager of the Central News Agency.

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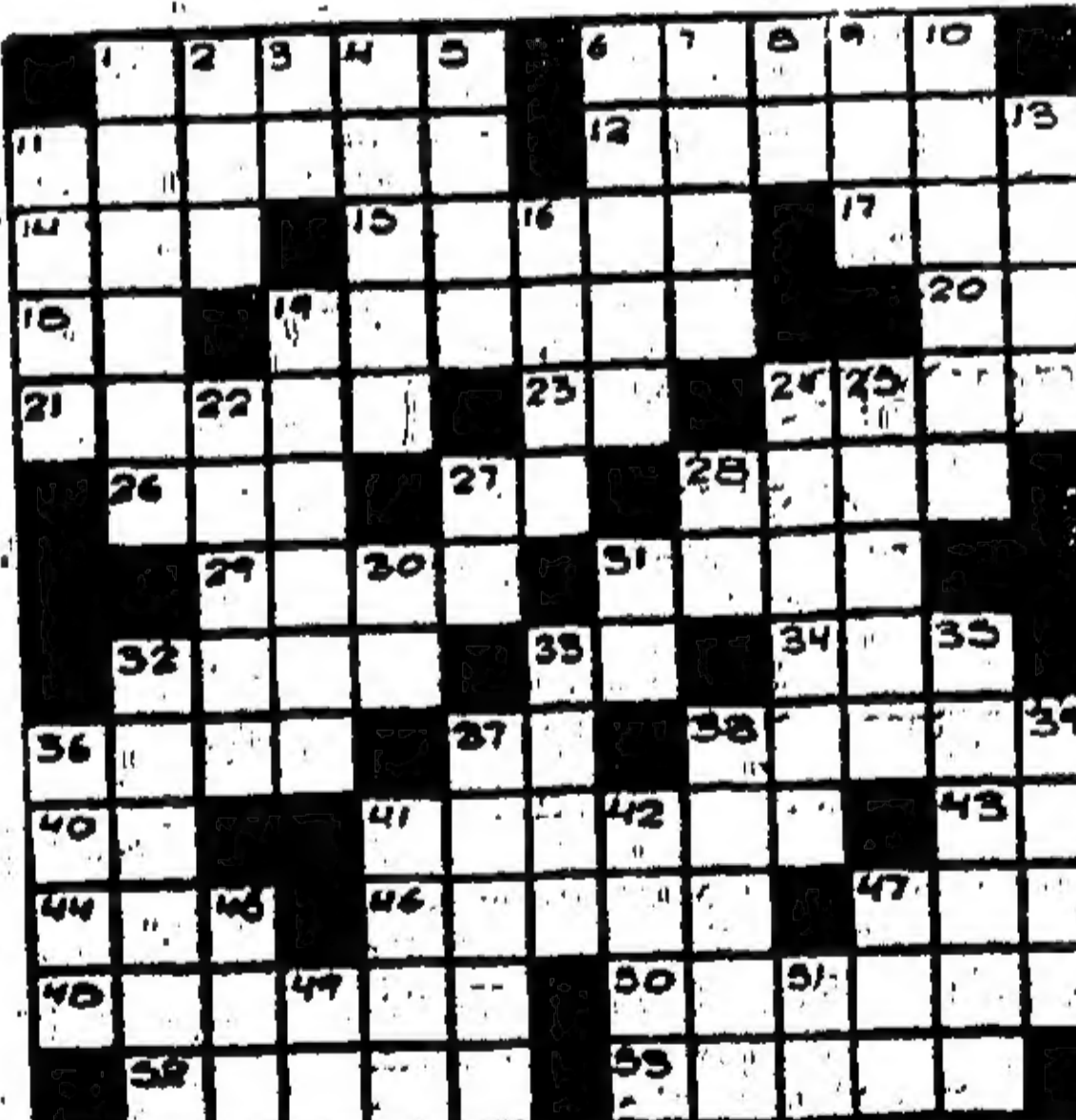
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## AMERICANS ANNOYED

### CLIPPER DETAINED IN BERMUDA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (Reuter).—Detention in Bermuda of a Pan-American Clipper for examination of the mails has created annoyance in Washington.

### SETTLEMENT SOUGHT

Mr. Cordell Hull announced this morning that conversations are in progress asking a settlement of the incident.

He intimated that unless an understanding satisfactory to the United States was reached, Bermuda would be abandoned as a stop-over point for American mail and passenger planes.

Questioned on Britain's reply to the earlier American protest against censorship of American mails not intended for Britain, Mr. Cordell Hull said he did not know whether any further communication would be sent to the British Government.

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making of "remarks considered injurious to the State."

It will be recalled that the official Uruguayan commission of enquiry into the doctor's allegations against the Royal Navy found that there was no truth in his accusation that Britain is using gas shells.

Despite this finding, the doctor persisted in repeating his views and publicly tried to repudiate the Commission's denial.

## Gas Shells Allegations

### GRAF SPEE BATTLE SEQUEL

MONTVIDEO, Jan. 20 (Reuter).—The German-horn doctor who accused the British cruisers of using gas shells in the Battle of the South Atlantic when the Admiral Graf Spee was sunk, has been removed from his post at the Government Hospital.

### CRIMINAL TRIAL

It is officially announced that the case against the doctor will be tried by the criminal court. Reason for his dismissal is the

## NEW WING OF PRECIOUS BLOOD HOSPITAL IS DECLARED OPEN

A large crowd of Catholic Fathers, Brothers, Sisters and supporters and well-wishers was present on Saturday afternoon when the Rt. Rev. Mgr. H. Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, formally declared open, with the offering of a prayer and the sprinkling of Holy Water, the new wing of the Precious Blood Hospital.

The new wing consists of a basement and three floors, and like the rest of the hospital, the building has large airy rooms, with ample window-space. Large verandahs run the length of two sides of the building, which is about 45 feet wide and 90 feet long. The floors are of tile, the walls being finished in a light cream, with white ceilings.

The basement will be used for servants' quarters. On the ground floor—which is actually some 10 feet above street level—are three charity wards, of eight beds each. The first and second floor contains 14 private rooms, while sisters and nurses' quarters take up the top floor.

### KOWLOONS NEEDS

Opening the new extension, Bishop Valtorta said that scarcely three years had passed since the hospital itself was built and already there was a great need for larger premises, both in order to meet the demand in Kowloon and to enable the doctors and nurses to carry out their work efficiently and properly, to the benefit of the patients.

The new extension cost more than \$40,000, part of which was contributed by a generous benefactor who preferred to remain anonymous; the remainder was provided by many small and large contributions from other benefactors.

"Many drops of water make a river, and that has been the case here!" said Bishop Valtorta.

### UNTIRING ENERGY

The new extension was due, firstly, to the untiring energy and zeal of the Rev. Father Galbati, (appliance), who was the soul of the hospital and to whom was due their thanks and gratitude. It was also due to the sisters and doctors, particularly to the latter, for on many, many occasions they had given of their services free.

Special features of the extension were its large charity wards for the use of the poor; they would be maintained on the principle that,

providing there was accommodation, no one would be turned away, even if he or she could not pay anything at all.

A training school for nurses would also be provided, so that sisters who were destined to go into the missionary districts would be able to take with them a knowledge of nursing; these sisters would also be provided with drugs and medicines by the hospital.

"I have blessed this hospital," Bishop Valtorta concluded, amid applause, and I hope that God's blessing will descend copiously and continuously on its future work."

### BISHOP THANKED

In thanking Rev. Mgr. H. Valtorta and all those who attended the blessing ceremony, Mr. Chan Wai Chuen, member of the Hospital Committee, said: I am requested by the Hospital Committee and the sisters to say how happy they are to have His Lordship, Mgr. Valtorta, so many friends and generous supporters with them here this afternoon. The Hospital Committee are most grateful to His Lordship for having blessed the new wing of the Precious Blood Hospital.

It seems almost unbelievable, but true, that only after a little more than two years since the sisters have owned their main building, we actually stand here now to celebrate the success of another one so well constructed; despite all discouragements resulting from high cost of building. Undoubtedly, the completion of this extension building is a good proof as Rev. Mgr. Valtorta just said, of the sisters' untiring energy as well as the continuation of the strong public support.

While there are charitable accommodations for poor children in the main building, the new wing is especially provided with those for adults to the extent of about twenty beds. As the sisters have faith they will do what they can to reap more fruits of their noble enterprise."

## NON-POSTAL PROHIBITED ARTICLES

The Government Gazette publishes the following:—

In exercise of the powers conferred by the Defence Regulations, 1939, His Excellency the Governor hereby makes the following Order:—

### TRANSMISSION OTHERWISE THAN BY POST

1. On and after the 18th day of January, 1940, no person shall convey or have in his possession for the purpose of conveying from this Colony to any destination out of this Colony or into this Colony otherwise than by post any of the following articles hereinafter referred to as "non-postal prohibited articles": that is to say:—

(i) any newspaper, book, or other printed manuscript or typescript, publication, or cuttings or portions from any of the above; (ii) any map, plan, sketch, drawing, print, photograph, photographic plate or photographic film which has been exposed in a camera whether it has been developed or not, or other descriptive or pictorial representation of literature for the blind; (iii) any postage or revenue stamps; (iv)

### CHINESE PAPERS HELD UP

All editions of Chinese newspapers yesterday were prevented by the new Defence Regulations regarding non-postal prohibited articles from being conveyed to Macao in the normal way.

The papers are usually delivered in bundles to the steamers for transmission to the Portuguese colony.

any impression of any die, seal or stamp of or belonging to, or used, made or provided by any Government Department or by any Diplomatic, Naval, Military or Air Force Authority, appointed by or acting on behalf of His Majesty; (v) any letters or memoranda; (vi) any other article whatsoever recording information by words, signs or otherwise: Provided that this Order shall not apply to:—

### PERMITS

(a) any non-postal prohibited article in respect of which the person sending or conveying it has previously obtained a permit for the purpose issued by or on behalf of the Censor, and has complied with any conditions subject to which the permit has been granted;

(b) any non-postal prohibited article in transit which has been submitted voluntarily at a port of arrival or departure for examination by the Censor, or by a person authorized to act on his behalf, and has been approved for further conveyance or delivery in compliance with any conditions subject to which such approval has been given;

(c) any non-postal prohibited article conveyed by an accredited representative on His Majesty's Service;

(d) any non-postal prohibited article which is a document from a shipping or aircraft company or business firm addressed to a master, captain, agent, owner or charterer of a ship or aircraft, provided that such document:—

(i) relates to the cargo, charter or other business of the vessel or aircraft on which it is to be conveyed and is necessary for the proper conduct of such business; (ii) is submitted to the Censor for examination and approval before delivery to the addressee; (iii) is deposited and retained in a bag sealed in such manner and at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Censor.

2. The Order published as Government Notification 705 in the Gazette of the 28th August 1939, is rescinded.

3. This Order may be cited as the "Control of Communications Order, 1940."

### FORMOSAN CHARGED

Appearing before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy, on Saturday, on a charge of entering the Colony without a valid passport, a Formosan, Lam Shek-sau, alias Rin Sekisan, was granted bail on two securities of \$200 each, and a personal bail of \$50, when the case was adjourned for further enquiries.

obtained from the Hotel Office or from any member of the Entertainment Committee. Tables may be reserved.

## COMPULSORY SERVICE TRIBUNAL

Three months' leave and transfer from the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps were granted to W. H. S. Davis, who appeared on Saturday before the Compulsory Service Appeals Tribunal.

The Tribunal, which sat in the Supreme Court, was composed of the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, as President, Brigadier A. B. Thomson and the Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell.

Sir Atholl said the Tribunal had considered the appeal and also a minute from Col. H. B. Rose, Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. He understood that Mr. Davis' two partners were generally absent from the Colony, one permanently and the other at intervals.

The obligations of business did not enable him to attend camps and he could not at present be attached to the Air Arm.

The Tribunal was willing to grant him three months' leave if he was prepared to take and pass an A. R. P. course. When he had fitted himself for this essential service, he could be transferred from the H. K. V. D. C.

Mr. Davis said he would be able to attend lectures, and the Chief Justice said that if he failed to qualify it would be entirely his own fault. His leave would start immediately and it would not be necessary for him to attend camp today.

## POLICE FORCE AWARDS

His Excellency the Governor has authorised the following awards:—

### COLONIAL POLICE LONG SERVICE MEDAL

European Contingent:—Inspector Louis Rampling Whant, Inspector Frederick Douglas Bishop Tuckett, Sub-Inspectors Bernard Thorpe, Walter Henry Nollott, George William Moreton.

Indian Contingent:—Sergeant Major Hasse Khan, Police Sergeant 145 Taje Khan, 14 Chanchal Singh, Lance Sergeant 207 Fatten Khan.

Cantonese Contingent:—Police Sergeants 188 Lau In, 402 Wong Yat Ming, 400 Yim Ki, Lance Sergeant 51 Mak Siu Po, Police Constables 233 Lam Man, 599 Lam Yee, 422 Lin Fui.

### FIRST BAR TO THE COLONIAL POLICE LONG SERVICE MEDAL

Indian Contingent:—Acting Sub-Inspector Arjan Singh, Police Sergeant 318 Hazara Singh.

Cantonese Contingent:—Police Sergeants 136 Ho Piu, 540 Ip Chak, 123 Li Sing.

### SECOND BAR TO THE COLONIAL POLICE LONG SERVICE MEDAL

Cantonese Contingent:—Sergeant Major Kwan Hing Nam.

## EDUCATION DEPT. APPOINTMENTS

H.E. the Governor has been pleased, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, to appoint the following officers, with effect from the dates shown:—Mr. Clifford George Solis, M.A. (Oxon.), to be Director of Education (Nov. 29, 1939); Mr. William Lucas Handyside, M.A., B.Sc., to be a Senior Inspector of Schools (Nov. 29, 1939); Mr. George Edgar Skinner Updell, M.A., to be Principal, Central British School (Jan. 1, 1939); Mr. David Morgan Richards, B.A., to be a Senior Master, Education Department (Nov. 29, 1939); and Mr. George Walker Reeve, B.A., to be a Senior Master, Education Department (Jan. 1, 1939).

### MERCHANT MARINE EXAM. RESULTS

The following Masters, Mates and Engineers passed and obtained Certificate of Competency issued under the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Colonial Act 1894 states the "Government Gazette" issued today.

Master S.S.: C. H. Hooper, W. H. Malley, R. I. Grounwater, J. W. Miller, A. E. Jones, A. G. Robb, G. O. Gatehouse, J. L. Barnes, E. K. Anderson, L. D. Quick, L. J. Money, A. M. Robinson, S. W. Hall, D. Hammond, Van R. Wolfe.

First Mate S.S.: G. P. Insh, R. Harrison.

First Class Engineer: F. Jackson, F. C. Reedman, A. Macdonald, R. E. G. Nicholls, F. M. Wilson, W. V. Edley.

Second Class Engineer: P. C. Aurac, A. Finnie, L. A. Sanh.

First Class Motor Endorsement: A. Marsh.

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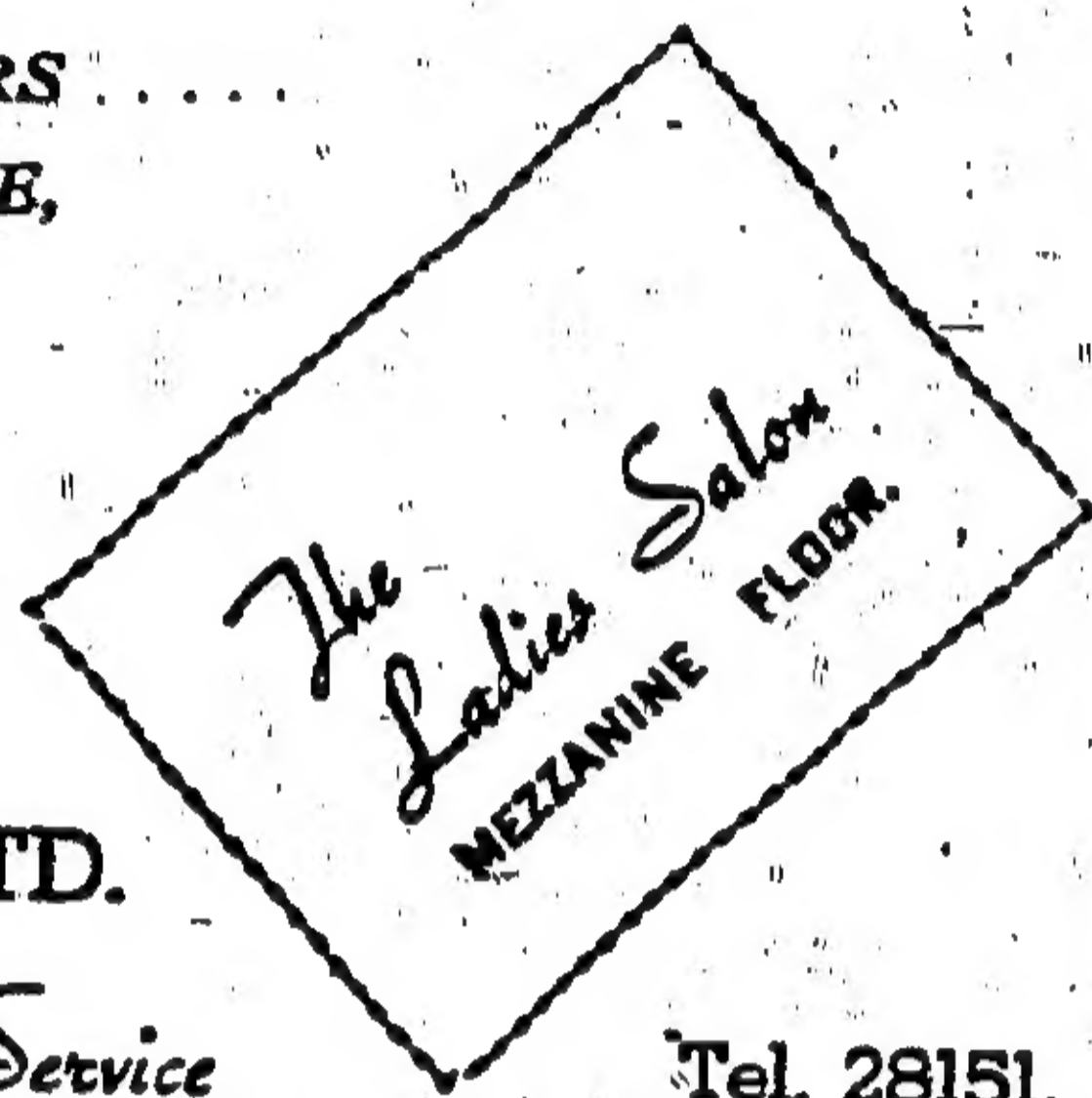
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## TRADING WITH ENEMY AMENDMENT

His Excellency the Governor, with the prior approval of the Secretary of State, in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Trading with the Enemy Ordinance 1941, as amended by regulation 2 of the Trading with the Enemy Ordinance, 1941, Amendment Regulations, 1939, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. The Schedule to the Trading with the Enemy (Specified Persons) Order, 1939, as varied by the Trading with the Enemy (Specified Persons) (Amendment) Order, 1939, shall be further varied:—

(a) by inserting the names and addresses specified in Part I of the schedule to this Order;

(b) by deleting the names and addresses specified in Part II of the schedule to this Order; and

(c) by making the amendments specified in Part III of the Schedule to this Order.

2. This Order may be cited as the Trading with the Enemy (Specified Persons) (Amendment) Order, 1940.

## PASSPORT FEES

The scale of fees charged by the Passport Office is as follows:—

Issue of Passport \$10, Issue of Travel Certificates and similar documents, each 4, Renewal of Passport, for each year of renewal 2, Endorsement of Passport, otherwise than at the time of issue or renewal 4, Transit visa, normal fee 1.10, Entry visa, normal fee 1.1.

In the case of visas granted to nationals of those countries which charge British subjects visa fees in excess of those quoted, until further notice, at the following fixed rates of exchange:—

Hongkong \$0.80=1 shilling (sterling), Hongkong \$1.50=1 shilling (gold), Hongkong \$1.10=U.S. \$1, Hongkong \$1.30=1 franc (gold).

Particulars concerning the fees charged in any particular case may be obtained on application at the Passport Office, Chung Tin Building, Des Voeux Road Central.

## "CHANTICLEER"

Chinese Scholars Interested In H.K. Publication

Although a great commercial centre, Hongkong is not devoid of its contributions to art, literature and culture. A local French journal, the "Chanticleer," published by the Hongkong University French Club, has come to the attention of Chinese scholars in Free China.

### EXCELLENT JOURNAL

In a letter of Dec. 7, 1939, from T. L. Yuan, Acting Director of the National Library of Peking (since the Sino-Japanese War transferred to Kunming, Yunnan), to the Editor of the "Chanticleer," Revue Française de l'Université de Hongkong, the following quotation is of pertinent interest:—

"We wish to congratulate you for the excellent journal, the 'Chanticleer,' the first number of which we have recently received from a friend of the Library."

### MUCH VALUED

As your journal is very much valued by Chinese scholars now concentrated at Kunming, we wonder whether any issues have been published since the above number. If so, will you kindly send us copies for our own use? We need them for review in our Quarterly Bulletin of Chinese Bibliography."

According to responsible quarters, the next issue of the "Chanticleer" will be out on Feb. 1, 1940, and copies will be sent to the National Library of Peking, in Kunming, Yunnan.

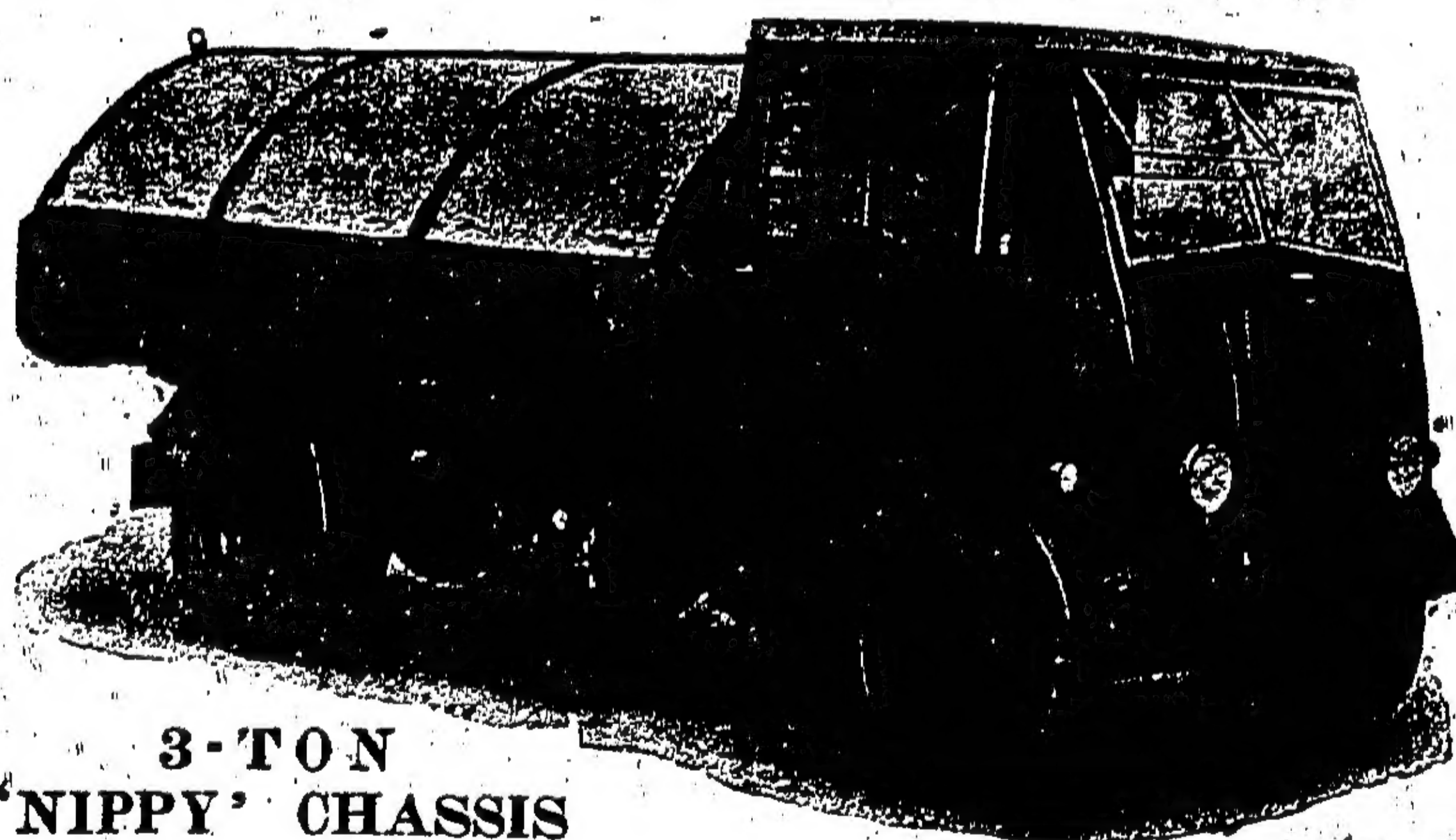
## B.W.O.F. LEAP YEAR BALL

A Leap Year Ball with Cabaret is being arranged by the Entertainment Committee of the British War Organization Fund, to take place at the Gloucester Hotel on Feb. 29, at 9.30.

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EXTRAORDINARY  
ARMISTICE  
REPORT

(Special to H.K.D.P.)

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Havas)—The  
Observer states that reports from  
Sweden, Holland, Switzerland and  
Italy announce that German  
agents, calling themselves "dele-  
gates," have arrived at the capitals  
of these countries and submitted  
suggestions for an immediate  
armistice whereby Poland, Czechos-  
lovakia and Austria would be  
evacuated by the Reich but would  
form a "Customs Union" with  
Germany.

Hitler would retire and be re-  
placed by Goering.

"Hell will break loose" if these  
suggestions are rejected, the  
agents are alleged to have said.

IRAQ FINANCE  
MINISTER

(SAGHDAD, Jan. 20 (Reuter))

—The condition of Rustam  
Haidan, the Iraqi Finance  
Minister, who was shot in his  
office by a former police in-  
spector, has slightly improved,  
though doctors say his condi-  
tion is still critical.

N.Y. COAL STRIKE  
SETTLED

(Special to H.K.D.P.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (Havas)—  
After two days' negotiations, the  
strike of coal truck drivers ended  
by Mayor Fiorello La Guardia, who  
today following strong intervention  
demanded an urgent settlement  
owing to the intense cold prevail-  
ing in New York.

NATIONAL LIBERAL  
M.P.

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Reuter)

Sir John Reith has been unani-  
mously adopted as the National  
Liberal Parliament candidate for  
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indemnity to the murderers of  
millions of their brethren.  
Army, police, communica-  
tions, even ordinary postal  
correspondence would be sub-  
ject to Japanese control and  
scrutiny.

YET THE "PATRIOT" Wang  
Ching-wei easily swallowed  
all these conditions. Indeed,  
the only strong objection he  
seems to have made is the  
insistence that, when making  
arrests (he takes it for granted  
that the enemy will be able  
to make any arrest they  
choose in the "New China")  
the Japanese should first  
notify the puppet police and  
ask for their "aid."

WHAT DO THE "TERMS"  
MEAN to Third Powers?  
Japan's claim to special status  
in the Lower Yangtze and  
"co-operation in the con-  
struction of New Shanghai"  
means that her intention of  
ousting British and American  
influence in this part of China  
remains unchanged. Her de-  
mand for monopolistic ex-  
ploitation of North China has  
the same implication. "Pre-  
ferential tariffs would cripple  
Third Power trade. Finally—  
the conversion of Amoy and  
Hainan into colonies—and  
naval bases—of Tokyo would  
represent the first step to-  
wards armed domination of  
the entire Eastern Pacific  
making Hongkong, Indo-  
China, the Dutch East Indies  
and the Philippines untenable  
for their present holders. In  
the North, "common defence  
in Mongolia" means war  
against the Soviet Union.

IF PROOF WERE NEEDED  
that "compromise" in China  
on Japan's terms would mean  
an immediate giant civil war  
on the Continent and endless  
years of bloody international  
strife for supremacy in  
the Pacific, this shameful  
"treaty" provides it. For-  
tunately for the world, there  
will be no such compromise.  
If the war aims of Tokyo re-  
quire the long and cynically  
solemn explanation which we  
print today, China's are both  
simpler and more susceptible  
of simple and straightforward  
expression. Resistance will  
not cease until the invader  
has been completely defeated  
and not a single man of his  
robber army remains on  
Chinese soil.

## WANG CHING-WEI'S SELL-OUT PACT WITH JAPAN

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war ever since his outbreak, being  
of the opinion that different  
methods might be tried to attain  
this end, provided that China's  
administrative and territorial in-  
tegrity could be safeguarded.

Last summer, at the summons of  
Wang the letter continues. Kao  
accompanied the expedition Kuom-  
intang leader to Tokyo to confer  
with the Japanese authorities. It  
was there that he realized the  
wide divergence of views in Japan  
regarding the Sino-Japanese con-  
flict and the arrogance of the Ja-  
panese militarists.

After their return to Shanghai,  
Kao continued to participate in  
subsequent conferences between  
Wang and the Japanese, hoping all  
the time that he might help in  
remedying the situation. In the  
meantime he had taken records of  
all important documents.

DRAFT AGREEMENTS:

The draft of the agreement  
was presented by Sasaki  
Kareza to Chow Fu-hai, Mei  
Sze-ping (two other followers  
of Wang) and Tao Hsi-sheng  
in the Rokusan Garden,  
Shanghai, on Dec. 5, 1939.  
Wang brought it up for discus-  
sion at a conference of his  
inner council. Kao who was  
also present, was astounded at  
the exorbitant nature of the  
Japanese demands contained  
therein, and made photo-  
graphic copies of the pact.

Yielding to Japanese coercion  
and cajolery, Wang, the letter  
says, unadvisedly signed the agree-  
ment with the Japanese on Dec. 30, 1939.  
Believing that the matter should  
no longer be concealed from the  
public and in view of the serious-  
ness of the situation Kao and Tao  
left Shanghai for the South bring-  
ing with them copies of the im-  
portant documents.

However, prior to their departure,  
they informed the Japanese  
through an intermediary that this  
so-called peace programme can  
never be acceptable to the Chinese  
people.

After their arrival in Hong-  
kong, they tried to Wang and  
his other followers advising  
them "to hold the horse" and to  
avoid being further deceived  
and made a tool of by the Ja-  
panese militarists.

According to the letter, a photo-  
graphic copy of the agreement and  
written copies of the notes ex-  
changed between Wang and the  
Japanese Government relative to  
the establishment of the "Central  
Government" have already been  
submitted to the National Govern-  
ment.

Originally in Japanese following  
are the English translations:

## TEXT OF AGREEMENT

"Fundamental Principles for the  
Readjustment of New Sino-  
Japanese Relations"

1. The Governments of Japan  
and China in accordance with the  
principles prescribed in Annex One,  
readjust the new relations between  
the two countries.

2. The Chinese Government, re-  
cognizing the existing facts accom-  
plished during the Incident and  
prior to the restoration of peace  
between the contending parties,  
gradually readjust, on the basis  
laid down in the above article,  
their relations so far as permitted  
by circumstances.

3. The Chinese Government shall  
recognize the continuance of the  
special state of affairs given rise  
to by force of circumstances during  
the Incident.

The said special state of affairs  
is to be progressively adjusted ac-  
cording to the principles for the  
readjustment of new Sino-Japanese  
relations and in accordance with  
the changing events and the gen-  
eral settlement of the Incident.

4. As to the execution of the two  
aforementioned articles, ways and  
means are to be decided upon  
separately.

## ANNEX ONE

Principles for the Readjust-  
ment of the new Sino-Japanese  
Relations.

With a view to attaining the  
common goal of establishing peace  
and the New Order in the Far East,  
Japan, China, and Manchukuo  
shall maintain among themselves  
neighbourly relations and close co-  
operation.

## BASIC PRINCIPLES:

The basic principles therefore  
are as follows:—

1. To establish, on the basis of  
reciprocity, general co-operation

between Japan, China and Man-  
chukuo, especially friendly rela-  
tions, a common front against  
communism and economic colla-  
boration.

2. To establish a zone of  
strongest Sino-Japanese solidarity  
in North China and Mongolia with  
regard to national defense and  
economic development.

For the reason of checking  
the spread of communism,  
Mongolia shall be designated as  
the area where the Japanese  
paramount position both mili-  
tarily and politically shall  
especially be established.

3. To establish a zone of  
strongest Sino-Japanese economic  
solidarity in the Lower Yangtze  
Valley.

4. To establish Japanese para-  
mount position in certain designat-  
ed islands along the sea coast of  
South China.

5. As for the details for the ex-  
ecution of the aforesaid articles the  
contracting parties agree to take  
as basis the principles embodied  
in Annex Two.

## ANNEX TWO

Main Items for the Readjustment  
of the new Sino-Japanese Rela-  
tions:—

## "INTRINSIC INTIMACY"

1. Regarding the Principles of  
Friendly and Neighbourly Rela-  
tions.

In order to affirm their respect  
for the intrinsic intimacy of their  
relationship, to achieve a general  
and harmonious co-operation, to  
safeguard peace in the Far East  
and to prove their neighbourliness  
by concrete facts, Japan, China  
and Manchukuo shall seek for  
ways and means to establish a  
solid block among themselves  
through mutual assistance and  
promotion of friendly relations.

1. China shall recognize the  
Empire of Manchukuo. Japan  
and Manchukuo shall respect  
the territory and sovereignty  
of China, Japan, China and  
Manchukuo shall establish  
their new relations.

2. Japan, China and Manchukuo  
shall abandon all those acts and  
causes relating to politics, diplo-  
macy, education, propaganda,  
trade, and so forth that are de-  
terminantal to mutual friendship.  
Such acts and causes shall also be  
prohibited once for all in the  
future.

3. Japan, China and Manchukuo  
shall heretofore conduct their  
diplomacy on the basis of mutual  
co-operation. In their relations  
with third Powers, they shall not  
act contrary to such basic prin-  
ciple.

4. Japan, China and Manchukuo  
shall co-operate to amalgamate,  
create and develop their culture.

## JAPANESE ADVISERS:

5. Japan is to appoint necessary  
advisers to the New Central Gov-  
ernment to participate in its work  
of reconstruction. In these or-  
ganizations located in the zones  
where the strongest Sino-Japanese  
solidarity is to be maintained and  
other specially designated areas  
Japanese advisers and staff mem-  
bers are to be placed.

6. Following the progressive  
and concrete realization of the nei-  
ghbourly relations between Japan,  
China and Manchukuo, Japan will  
accordingly give consideration for  
the restoration of concessions and  
the abolition of extraterritoriality.

## "MUTUAL DEFENCE"

II. Regarding the Principle of

Mutual Defence.

Japan, China and Manchukuo  
shall co-operate in checking the  
spread of communism and in main-  
taining common peace and order.

1. Japan, China and Manchukuo  
shall undertake to weed out in  
their respective territories Com-  
munist and Communist organiza-  
tions. They shall also co-operate  
and mutually assist in anti-com-  
munist propaganda and intelli-  
gence work and other related mat-  
ters.

2. Japan and China shall jointly  
execute their anti-Communist pro-  
gramme. In order to attain this  
aim, Japan shall station the  
necessary troops at strategic points  
in North China and Mongolia.

3. A separate anti-Communist  
Alliance shall be concluded.

## STATIONING OF TROOPS:

4. According to the actual situa-  
tion, either in whole or in part,  
those troops stationed outside of  
the areas designated in article two  
shall be withdrawn as rapidly as  
warranted by circumstances. But  
all the Japanese troops now  
stationed in North China and the  
Lower Yangtze Valley shall remain

PUPPET PARLEY  
TAKES WANG  
TO TSINGTAO

TSINGTAO, Jan. 21 (Reuter)

—Wang Ching-wei arrived here  
today, whilst Wang Keh-min  
and Liang Hung-chih, heads of  
the puppet "Provisional Govern-  
ment" at Peiping and the "Re-  
formed Government" at Nan-  
king respectively, are expected  
within the next two days. It is  
learned by Reuter.

A conference between the  
establishment of a new puppet  
"General" regime is expected  
to be held on Jan. 23, and will  
last about one week.

Wang Ching-wei is staying  
here strictly incognito, and his  
whereabouts is being kept a  
secret. The most severe mili-  
tary precautions are being  
taken, and all peasants enter-  
ing Tsingtao are searched.

until peace and order are firmly  
re-established.

5. In order to jointly main-  
tain peace and order, China  
shall concede Japan the right  
to station troops and warships  
at certain specially designated  
points along the Yangtze Val-  
ley and in certain specially  
designated islands along the  
sea coast of South China.

6. Japan reserves for herself the  
right to claim and supervise for  
military purposes those railways,  
air lines, postal and telegraph  
services, important harbours and  
water routes in those areas gar-  
risoned by Japanese troops.

7. Chinese police, army, other  
armed forces, their equipments and  
military establishments within ter-  
ritories garrisoned by Japanese  
troops should be reduced tempo-  
rarily to the minimum requirement  
for internal order and national de-  
fence.

Japan will participate in China's  
efforts to organize her army and  
police through the appointment of  
advisers training officers and the  
supply of arms and munitions.

PRINCIPLE FOR  
CO-OPERATION

III. Regarding the Principle for

Economic Co-operation.

To prove their solidarity of in-  
terest and determination for  
mutual defence by concrete facts  
and to make up their mutual de-  
ficiencies, Japan, China and Manchukuo  
agree to adopt the guiding prin-  
ciple of reciprocity in developing  
their industries and promoting  
their economic welfare.

## DEVELOPMENT OF RESOURCES:

1. To put the aforementioned

principle as well as the following  
stipulations into practice, Japan,  
China and Manchukuo shall con-  
clude the necessary agreements  
with regard to the development of  
resources, customs revenues, trade  
aviation, communications, postal  
and telegraphic services, astrono-  
mical and general surveys and so  
forth.

2. In view of economic soli-  
darity and common defence,  
China shall grant Japan special  
privileges and facilities  
to develop and utilize the re-  
sources, especially those under-  
ground resources in North  
China and Mongolia. Again in  
view of the same economic soli-  
darity, Japan should have the  
necessary facilities for the de-  
velopment and utilization of  
specially designated resources,  
even in areas outside of North  
China and Mongolia.

## AGRICULTURE:

With regard to agriculture, Japan

will assist China in its improvement  
so as to increase its production and  
stabilize the livelihood of the  
people.

4. Japan will accord China the  
necessary aid for the formulation  
of China's financial and economic  
policy.

5. With regard to trade, China  
shall adopt appropriate tariff rates  
and a customs system to promote  
commerce in general between Japan,  
China and Manchukuo. At the  
same time, China shall facilitate  
and rationalize the supply and de-  
mand of raw materials between  
Japan, China and Manchukuo es-  
pecially with reference to North  
China.

## COMMUNICATIONS:

6. With regard to the develop-

ment of China's communications,

postal and telegraphic services,  
astronomical and general surveys,  
Japan will lend China the neces-  
sary assistance and even active par-  
ticipation.

The development of aviation in  
whole China, the railroads in North  
China (including the Lung-hai  
Line), ocean transportation between  
Japan and China and that along  
the Chinese coast, river transpor-  
tation in the Yangtze and the postal  
and telegraphic services in North  
China and the Lower Yangtze Val-  
ley should be the main items for  
Japanese active participation in the  
field of communications.

7. Japan and China shall co-  
operate in reconstructing a new  
Shanghai.

## ARTICLES ATTACHED

1. The new Central Government  
shall indemnify those Japanese  
nationals who have sustained in  
China losses in rights and privileges  
since the beginning of the China  
Incident.

2. Prior to the establishment of  
new relations between Japan and  
China, the New Central Govern-  
ment shall confidentially consult  
the Japanese with regard to all  
important matters affecting Japan.

## ADDITIONAL STIPULATIONS:

Additional Stipulations Regarding  
the Fundamental Points for the  
Readjustment of the New  
Sino-Japanese Relations.

1. Main Provisions Regarding the  
Readjustment of Relations with the  
Provisional Government.

1. The term "North China" here-  
in employed is intended to de-  
signate in general the Hopei, Shansi,  
Shantung Provinces situated south  
of the Great Wall (the Great Wall  
itself is not included) and that part  
of the Honan Province lying north  
of the old course of the Yellow  
River.

## SPECIAL CHARACTER:

2. In view of the special character

of North China in that it is  
the zone where the absolute soli-  
darity between Japan, China and  
Manchukuo exists, especially with  
reference to national de-  
fence and economic devel-  
opment, and in accordance  
with the principles laid down for  
the readjustment of the new  
Sino-Japanese relations, a Political  
Council of North China shall be  
established for the purpose of  
settling locally these matters vis-  
a-vis Japan and Manchukuo.

3. Matters regarding the  
authority and organization of  
the said political council in  
North China shall be discuss-  
ed and determined in the  
Central Political Council.  
Prior, however, to the es-  
tablishment of the Central  
Political Council, such matters  
shall be taken up for an agree-  
ment between Wang Ching-  
wei and Wang Keh-min.

4. The authority and organi-  
zation of the Political Council of  
North China shall be fixed in such  
a way as to enable it to accom-  
plish concretely the following  
tasks when the new Sino-Japan-  
ese relations have been normal-  
ized. Even prior to that time, how-  
ever, efforts shall be made to bring  
about progressively the desired  
objective.

## SMOOTH TRANSFER:

The name of the Provisional  
Government shall be abolished.  
The Political Council of North  
China should temporarily permit  
the continued existence of those  
accomplished facts in order to ef-  
fect a smooth transfer of political  
authority so that the people will  
not suffer from a sudden change.

(1) Regarding common defence,  
especially Japanese participation  
in checking communism and  
maintaining order:

a. Relating to the settlement  
of matters connected with the  
stationing of Japanese troops;

b. Relating to the settle-  
ment of matters connected  
with Japanese participation in  
checking communism and  
maintaining order;

c. Relating to the settlement  
of matters connected with  
military co-operation between  
Japan and China.

## ECONOMIC SOLIDITY:

(2) Regarding economic co-  
operation, especially the develop-  
ment and utilization of under-  
ground resources and the supply  
and demand of raw materials and  
commodities between Japan,  
China, Manchukuo and North  
China:

a. Relating to the settlement  
of matters raised by the problem  
of rationalization of the supply  
and demand of raw materials and  
commodities between Japan, Man-  
chukuo, Mongolia and North  
China;

c. Relating to the settlement  
of matters connected with Japanese  
participation in the regulation of  
currency and exchange between  
Japan, Manchukuo, Mongolia and  
North China;

d. Relating to the settlement of  
matters connected with Sino-  
Japanese co-operation in aviation,  
railway transportation, postal,  
telegraphic services and ocean  
transportation along the main  
trade routes.

## EMPLOYMENT OF JAPANESE:

(3) Regarding the settlement of  
matters connected with the em-  
ployment of Japanese advisers and  
staff members.

(4) During the period when  
there is the need for the perpe-  
tuation of the Federal Reserve  
Bank System and other system  
therewith connected, the New  
Central Government shall lend to  
it the necessary assistance.

## Temporary Regulations

(5) Temporary regulations govern-  
ing the main matters of the  
division of powers between the  
Political Council of North China  
and the New Central Government:

a. In order to defray the neces-  
sary expenses and safeguard the  
necessary income, the Political  
Council of North China shall be  
temporarily entitled to certain  
stipulated amount of the surplus of  
the customs revenues and of salt  
tax and the entire yields from  
consolidated tax, though the said  
revenues and taxes are in prin-  
ciple the sources of income for the  
Central Government. The power  
of supervision over the above men-  
tioned national taxes shall be en-  
trusted by the New Central Gov-  
ernment to the Political Council  
of North China;

b. The Political Council of North  
China shall be given the right to  
float loans within certain limits;

c. Government properties shall  
belong to the Political Council of  
North China as they do at pre-  
sent, but new arrangements re-  
garding those properties shall be  
made gradually;

d. The customs, postal service  
and aviation should eventually be  
placed under the control of the  
New Central Government, but the  
change of the present state of af-  
fairs shall be effected progressively;

e. The administration and  
management of transportation on  
the Lung-hai Railway shall be  
placed under the Political Council  
of North China;

f. Excepting officials of mini-  
sterial rank, the authority for ap-  
pointing all its officials shall be  
given to the Political Council of  
North China;

g. Diplomatic negotiations with  
third Powers shall be conducted  
by the Central Government. The  
negotiations for the settlement of  
local affairs with Japan and Man-  
chukuo shall, however, be under-  
taken by the Political Council of  
North China.

RELATIONS WITH  
"REFORMED GOVT."

II. Main Provisions Regarding

the Readjustment of Re-

lations with the Reformed

Government.

1. Though the Reformed

Government should be induced to

amalgamate eventually with the

Central Government, its stand

should be respected so that it can

remain stable and discharge its

duties prior to the establishment

of the New Central Government.

2. Though the establishment of

a Political Council after the inau-

guration of the New Central Gov-

ernment can be spared by virtue

of an understanding with the Re-

formed Government, the prestige

and standing of the important

members of the latter organiza-

tion should be given full con-

sideration by Wang Ching-wei.

3. After the establishment of

the New Central Government and

the dissolution of the Reformed

Government, the former shall

temporarily permit the continued

existence of the accomplished

facts so that the transfer of pol-  
itical authority will be smoothly  
made and the people will not suf-  
fer from a sudden change.

## SPECIAL DEMANDS:

4. In the area of the Lower

Yangtze Valley where the strong-  
est Sino-Japanese economic soli-  
darity is to be realized, Japan's  
special demands are as follows:

(1) Regarding the New Shang-

hai:

a. Relating to matters con-  
nected with Japanese partici-  
pation in reconstructing a new  
Shanghai;b. Relating to matters con-  
nected with the settlement of  
matters raised by the problem of  
rationalization of the supply and  
demand of raw materials and  
commodities between Japan, Man-

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# EARLY CRISIS DEVELOPING BETWEEN JAPAN AND THIRD POWERS: SURPRISE ANTI-BRITISH STEP

## Pamphlets Distributed: U.S. Embargo Campaign

TOKYO, Jan. 20 (Reuter)—Early development of a crisis in relations between Japan and third Powers was indicated in two unrelated reports last night.

In Tokyo, the Japanese War Office has taken the surprising step of distributing pamphlets throughout Japan stating that unless Britain alters fundamentally her attitude towards Japan, friction between the two countries is to be expected.

Simultaneously, in Washington, Senator Key Pittman was beginning his campaign for raising an embargo against the supply of oil and other war materials to Japan.

Political observers suggest the possibility that the Japanese Army is engaged in focussing hostility upon Britain while strenuous efforts are made to reach a modus vivendi with the United States.

### CONCILIATORY GESTURE

The Japanese Army's anti-British pamphlet coincided with a conciliatory gesture by Japan to the United States and a speech by the British Ambassador in which he declared that points of difference between Japan and Britain were chiefly on the surface.

### SENATOR PITTMAN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (Reuter)—Japan must abandon her policy in the Far East, which means the absolute domination of China, declared Senator Key Pittman in a speech in Washington last night. He said the United States had more rights in China than mere permission to sail boats up the Yangtze.

### PORT REGULATIONS

Japan's port regulations even dictated where cargo is to be unloaded, and the United States had to use yen instead of dollars.

Senator Pittman said sentiment was growing in the United States in favour of an embargo on oil and other exports to countries which break treaties to which the United States is a signatory.

### GIVE AND TAKE

TOKYO, Jan. 20 (Reuter)—"I feel sure that my country is very much awake to conditions not only in Europe, but also in Far East," declared the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, at a luncheon party in honour of the newly-appointed Japanese military attaché to the London Embassy.

Sir Robert, who presided at the luncheon, referring to the question of improving Anglo-Japanese relations, said: "It is a question of trying to adjust ourselves to incompatibilities on certain questions of policy."

"There are mainly on the surface and it will be a question of give and take in order to attain the cherished ideas of all of us."

### OFFER TO U.S.

TOKYO, Jan. 20 (Reuter)—An important Ordinance will be promulgated on Wednesday and will be enforced on Saturday next, under which no discriminatory tariffs will be imposed on imports from the United States after the existing trade treaty has expired, states the Asahi Shimbun today.

Under this Ordinance, the newspaper says, American goods will continue to be accorded most-favoured nation treatment, while the appropriate administrative steps will be taken to ensure protection of the rights of Americans residing in Japan.

## PHARMACEUTICAL FACTORY

SINGAPORE, Jan. 21 (Central)—A pharmaceutical factory is being established in Singapore by the Southeast Chinese Relief Association to manufacture medicine for use in China.

A medical committee has been organised under the Association to plan for the establishment of the factory and to purchase patent medicine for contribution to the Chinese Government. Mr. Tan Kah-kee, prominent Chinese industrialist in Singapore, is chairman of the committee.

A site for the factory has been chosen and three motors have been contributed by a well-known Chinese merchant.

Local Moslems celebrated their New Year festival yesterday.

## WANG - JAPAN AGREEMENT

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with the stationing of Japanese troops in new Shanghai;

c. Relating to matters connected with Japanese participation in establishing and improving aviation, important ocean transportation and postal and telegraphic services.

d. Relating to the settlement of matters connected with Japanese participation in other enterprises in new Shanghai.

(2) In order to expedite the realization of the above mentioned Japanese demands, necessary arrangements for establishing a Sino-Japanese economic consultative organization and the like should be planned and put into effect.

III. Main Provision Regarding the Readjustment of Relations with the United Autonomous Government of Mongolia.

1. The term "Mongolia" herein employed is intended to designate in general the territory north of the Inner Great Wall (the Inner Great Wall itself is included).

2. In view of the special character of Mongolia in that it is the zone where the strongest solidarity between Japan, China and Manchukuo in matters relating to national defense and economic development exists, and in the fields outside of diplomacy (negotiations with Japan and Manchukuo excepted), such as administration, legislation, jurisdiction, military affairs and negotiations with Outer Mongolia, the Central Government shall recognize that Mongolia should possess broad autonomous powers and should form a highly anti-communist autonomous area on the basis of accomplished facts.

3. In order to establish the relationship between the United Autonomous Mongolian Government and the Central Government prior to the convocation of the Central Political Council, the following items shall be agreed upon in written documents between Wang Ching-wei or his representative and Prince Teh or his representative in conference.

(1) The Central Government recognizes the accomplished fact of the United Autonomous Mongolian Government being highly anti-communist and autonomous.

(2) Relating to the adjustment of the relations between the two regimes, a separate agreement shall be made after the establishment of the New Central Government with the present, understanding as the basis.

4. After the above mentioned understanding is made, the United Autonomous Mongolian Government shall dispatch delegates to participate in the Central Political Council.

5. In the Central Political Council no discussion shall be allowed on matters lying outside of the scope prescribed by the understanding embodied in Article III.

### AMOY - "SPECIAL AREA"

IV. Regarding Amoy. Wang Ching-wei shall recognize the fact that Amoy is a special administrative area.

### V. Regarding the Specially Designated Islands along the Sea Coast of South China.

Among the specially designated islands along the sea coast of South China, Hainan Island shall be given a local administrative organization (including departments for military affairs) placed directly under the control of the New Central Government.

In view of the paramount position that Japan enjoys in that Island, the said political organization shall be empowered to dispose of the following matters raised by Japanese demands:

1. Those connected with the stationing of Japanese troops.
2. Those connected with Sino-Japanese co-operation in military affairs and in the maintenance of order.
3. Those connected with the development and utilization of specially designated resources indispensable for national defense.
4. Those connected with aviation, postal and telegraphic services and ocean transportation.

### ARTICLE ATTACHED

The above mentioned governing principle will be applied to our demands which should be agreed upon later between Japan and China and also to matters connected with China's internal affairs that should be regulated by herself.

### CONDITIONS TO BE FULFILLED BY JAPAN

Conditions desired to be fulfilled by Japan prior to the establishment of the Central Government.

(Presented to Japan by Wang Ching-wei in August, 1939)

The Japanese have replied in written form with reference to the earnest desire on the part of the Chinese for carrying out of the principle of respecting China's sovereignty. Regarding the hope that the Chinese have expressed, the Japanese have fully appreciated the aim thereof and have promised to try to make it realized.

Now, in view of the approaching establishment of the Central Government, the Chinese consider the following as the indispensable conditions for its establishment. The fulfilment of these conditions being no hindrance to Japanese considerations relative to the elements of time and place, it is expected that the Japanese will agree to it.

### CUSTOMS REVENUES

1. Since the conclusion of the Anglo-Japanese customs agreement in May last year, the customs revenues have been deposited in the Yokohama Specie Bank. Up to the present, the revenues collected by the Shanghai Customs House alone already amounts to more than 180,000,000 dollars.

Up to 31 January this year, the necessary payments on foreign loans and indemnities have been already made by the Chungking Government. Therefore it is requested that the funds on which foreign loans and indemnities due before January this year are secured and the surplus of customs revenues be handed over to the Central Government.

Since the completion of legal transaction can only be made after the establishment of the Central Government, the Japanese are expected to agree to the two following points:

340,000,000 LOAN:

(1) Prior to the establishment of the Central Government, the Japanese are requested to instruct the Yokohama Specie Bank to advance, in the form of a loan, 40,000,000 dollars out of the deposits of the customs revenues. When the Government is established, this will be liquidated through clearing.

(2) The entire sum of the customs deposits now placed in the Yokohama Specie Bank is to be handed over. The monthly yield from these revenues hereafter are also to be put into the national treasury of the Central Government. A part of it, however, is to be deposited in the Yokohama Specie Bank. The rest thereof will be deposited in Chinese commercial banks designated by the Central Government.

### MONTHLY YIELDS

2. The bureau for consolidated taxes in Kiangsu, Chekiang, and

Anhui Provinces are at present independent organizations and are not under the control of the Reformed Government. The monthly yields from these taxes are directly sent to the Japanese Intelligence Service, which transfers a part of it to the Reformed Government. When the Central Government is established, it should negotiate with the Japanese for their consent to permit the Ministry of Finance to take over those organizations and have the yields from these taxes put into the national treasury.

### SALT REVENUES

3. Although salt revenues constitute a main source of China's income, yet practically no collection therefrom is made at present. In Central China there is a so-called Tung Yuan Company, a Japanese undertaking for the transportation and sale of salt, which practically pays no tax. Prior to the establishment of the Central Government, it should negotiate with the Japanese for their consent that when the Central Government is established, the administration and regulations for payment of salt taxes should all be restored to the status previous to the incident.

Those mentioned in the above three articles relate to state finance. In case they are not achieved, the Central Government cannot be established.

### YANGTZE OPENING

4. The Japanese are requested to agree to the opening of the Yangtze River between Shanghai and Nanking within two months after the establishment of the Central Government.

The negotiation, therefore, will be conducted by the Central Government. As to preventing foreign ships from transporting arms and munitions to guerrilla forces, stringent ways and means may be devised with respect to technique.

After the establishment of the Central Government, it is necessary to secure from Great Britain, the United States, and France their de facto recognition thereof. If the Yangtze River is not opened, then their recognition is absolutely impossible.

5. The passes for travelling along the Nanking-Shanghai Rail road should be issued by the Central Government.

### SEARCH AND EXAMINATION

6. Searching and examining at the railway stations and various city gates in Nanking should be conducted by Chinese police and gendarmes. Any time when Japanese gendarmes make arrests within the city it is expected that they will do it in collaboration with Chinese police and gendarmes.

Though what are mentioned in the previous two articles seem to be trifles, yet it is very important so far as they exercise influence on affecting the falling and psychology of the people.

But these can only be put into effect with the thorough understanding of the Japanese military authorities now stationed in Nanking. It is expected that the Japanese will pay due attention to and take appropriate action on them.

### THE JAPANESE REPLY

(Delivered in October 1939)

1. Regarding Customs Revenues: (1) A loan prior to the establishment of the Central Government. The Shanghai branch office of the Yokohama Specie Bank is now holding the yields from the customs revenues of the Shanghai Customs House. As to the proposal of advancing 40,000,000 dollars from the said deposits in the form of a loan, under definite conditions prior to the establishment of the Central Government, the Japanese are ready to make efforts to comply with such wish if the basis for formally adjusting the new relationship between Japan and China, that is, the principles for adjusting the new Sino-Japanese relations for the transitional period can be definitely agreed upon after the establishment of the New Central Government in the future.

(2) Arrangements regarding customs revenues after the establishment of the Central Government. UNIFIED CONTROL: With reference to the customs system and the income from the customs revenues after the establishment of the Central Government, they should be, in principle, placed under the unified control of the Central Government. Nevertheless, the income from the customs revenues in North China and Mongolia, the part assigned as securities for foreign loans being excepted, is expected to be given to North China and Mongolia.

All the income from customs revenues is expected to be deposited temporarily in the Yokohama Specie Bank.

### 2. Regarding Consolidated Taxes:

As to the proposal for gradually adjusting such matters, namely, to restore the consolidated taxes of Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhwei Provinces to the Ministry of Finance, to put the income from such taxes into the national treasury and so forth after the establishment of the New Central Government, the Japanese have no objection.

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As to the proposal for gradually adjusting the administration and regulations for payment of salt tax in areas outside of North China and Mongolia after the establishment of the Central Government so that the status previous to the incident shall be restored, the Japanese have no objection.

### 4. Regarding the opening of the Yangtze River:

The Japanese also desire the necessary relaxation in warlike operations of the Japanese military in the Yangtze Valley so that the situation for the factual opening

## Arrest Of Communists In Sweden

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 21 (Reuter)—The newspaper Social Demokraten states that the Police have unearthed a Communist spy organization with tentacles in every part of the country. Many Swedish Reds are stated to have been arrested following the discovery of a secret wireless station which has been transmitting details of military, industrial and defence measures. Many Communists have been removed from responsible posts in labour organisations since the Soviet invasion of Finland.

## ALLIES UNDER NO ILLUSIONS ABOUT THE WAR: LORD HALIFAX OUTLINES BRITISH AIMS IN CONFLICT

### CHURCHILL'S BROADCAST

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and a measure of the fate in store for any Nazi warship which dabbles in piracy on the broad water."

Mr. Churchill refuted his remark given earlier about things going well by saying that he was "quite sure that many losses and misfortunes lay ahead for us on sea."

He added: "We look forward, as the months pass, to establishing such a degree of safe sailing as will enable commercial nations, whose ships accept our guidance, not only to live but to thrive."

"This part, at least, of the Nazi attack on freedom is not going to bar the path of justice or retribution."

In paying tribute to the magnificent service Finland has rendered to mankind, Mr. Churchill said: "They have exposed for all the world to see the military incapacity of the Red Army and Air Force."

### ATTACK ON SOVIET

"Many illusions about Soviet Russia have been dispelled in these fierce weeks of fighting in the Arctic Circle, and everyone can see how Communism rots the soul of a nation and make it abject and hungry in peace and proves it, base and abominable in war."

"We cannot tell what the fate of Finland might be but no more mournful spectacle could be presented than that this splendid northern race should at last be worn down and reduced to servitude worse than death by the dull and brutish force of overwhelming numbers."

"If the light of freedom which still burns so brightly in the frozen north should finally be quenched, it might well herald a return to the dark ages when every vestige of human progress during 2,000 years would be engulfed."

### SMALL NATIONS

Mr. Churchill asked what would happen if all the small and neutral nations concerned were spontaneously to do their duty in accordance with the Covenant of the League and stand together with the British and French Empires against aggression and wrong.

He said that at present their plight was lamentable and would become much worse.

"All of them hope that the storm will pass before their turn comes to be devoured, but the storm will not pass but will rage and roar even more loudly and widely and spread to the south and north. There is no chance of a speedy end except through united action," he said.

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## Unity Of Purpose Will Spell Defeat For Hitler

LEEDS, JAN. 20 (REUTER)—"WE ARE UNDER NO ILLUSION ABOUT THE WAR. WE KNOW HOW GREAT ARE THE ISSUES—THE LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF OUR OWN COUNTRY AND THE COMMONWEALTH AND OF ALL EUROPEAN STATES," SAID LORD HALIFAX IN A SPEECH AT LEEDS TODAY.

"Neither are we under-rating the strength of our enemy or the sternness of the struggle upon which we are engaged," he continued. "We realise that to secure the victory in that struggle we require all the energy and all the resolution that we can command."

"There is, isn't there, a profound difference between a Dictator and a democracy in this business of war."

### INITIAL ADVANTAGES

"A dictator enjoys great initial advantages. His preparations and policy can be made in complete secrecy. The people have no part in that policy; they don't know what it is. They cannot place themselves in opposition to it, and therefore, all actions of a Dictator appear to the outside world as the expression of a single will."

"In a democracy, there is no surrender of private judgment. There is no suppression of outside contacts, and there is no coercion by secret police—and admittedly that increases the difficulty of any government in the time of preparation and planning."

### OVERWHELMING FORCE

"But when trouble comes, the fact that the people know the Government's policy, and have approved the government's decision registers the overwhelming force of

free men and individual will (ap- plause)."

"And it is that unity of purpose which Herr Hitler takes so for granted, but which I think is not, the principal cause of his defeat."

"The strain of modern war is very great, but there is no doubt in my mind, and I think there will be none in yours, that it will be borne more easily by men who are in from conviction than by men who are in it by coercion (ap- plause)."

### BROKEN PROMISES

Lord Halifax referred to Hitler's speech shortly after the war, in which the Fuehrer "objected strongly" when foreign statesmen said he had broken his word because he had "carried out re- visions."

"On the contrary, Hitler said, he had carried out his solemn promise to the German people to put an end to the Versailles Treaty. In other words, any breach of promise was in Hitler's view justified if it helped him to realise his aims."

Lord Halifax had no doubt that if they had added by Hitler's assurances, he would, when he had strengthened his hold on Europe, have turned his attention to the main obstacle to world domination, the British Commonwealth and France.

### WAR AIMS

After contrasting the lack of freedom in Germany with that in Britain, and speaking of Ribbentrop's part in bringing about the war, Lord Halifax compared Germany's war aims with those of the Allies.

Germany wanted the destruction of the British Empire, the loot, and the destruction of all that the Allies stood for—freedom, justice, and those principles based on the Christian conception of the eternal values of every human soul.

### BULLY DEFERRED

Hitler's one way of winning the war was to strike a crushing blow at the beginning, when he had all the advantage of long preparations, his fortifications on the west, and his air force.

He had not attempted this crushing blow. Might that not be for the same reasons that deter a bully—the knowledge that he is against someone who may hit him back?

### ORDEAL & SACRIFICES

Speaking of the ordeal and sacrifices that war would bring, Lord Halifax said that the Home Front, though possibly not so dangerous at the moment, was just as important to the successful prosecution of the war.

One of the main ways those at home could help would be in the sphere of national savings. This would provide practical help in an especially valuable way.

"Therefore, let us give, and give freely, and let us all remember that our great cause can only end in victory if all are prepared to spend themselves in its behalf."

### CHINA WAR REPORTS

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central Hupeh amidst a snow- storm.

taking advantage of the disruption of communications, the Chinese are intensifying their activity behind the Japanese lines.

In north Hupeh, fighting continues to the northeast of Suhsien. Some 2,000 Japanese withdrawing from Kaoheng are being engaged by the Chinese near Yinchien.

BATTLES IN SNOW

CHUNGKING, Jan. 21 (Reuter)—Fighting is going on in snow- storms, particularly in the area northeast of Suhsien, while an artillery duel is in progress across the Han River, in the vicinity of Shayang.

of the Yangtze River either in whole or in part at least may be brought about earlier. But under the present state of affairs, it is still difficult to set a definite time for it.

5. Regarding the Issue of Passes for Travelling on the Nanking-Shanghai Railroad, and Search and Examination Stations.

With reference to the Chinese desire, the Japanese, in view of the conception of respecting the administrative power of the New Central Government, have no objection in principle. But regarding the practical adjustment of such matters, it is hoped that negotiations therefore shall be immediately conducted by the respective authorities of both Japan and China, in accordance with the actual local conditions relative to the main- tenance of order.

## CHAN TAK - FAI SHINES: SCORES FIVE GOALS TO DEFEAT ROYAL NAVY

South China defeated the Navy by 5 goals to 2 in the Kowloon Cup Soccer League played at Sookunpoo yesterday. It was a well contested match and the Navy could have done better in view of the many opportunities they had. The main cause of their defeat was the weakness of their forwards, whose shooting lacked accuracy.

South China played a very fast game, and their team work was exceptionally good. Their backs were particularly steady.

Perhaps the most brilliant player in the field was Chan Tak-fai, who was responsible for all the five goals, and Robinson, the Navy's custodian, who managed many fine saves. His efforts were met with loud applause from the large gathering of football fans.

Lee Wai-tong, idol of the fans, failed to register any score. There was only one clear opportunity presented him to score, but he failed. On other occasions when he had the ball in his control, he was snatched away from the Navy's defence line, and before he could move a few yards, the ball was snatched away from him.

### FIRST GOAL

Navy took the lead five minutes after the kick-off when O'Riagan scored a fine shot from a pass from Thoburn. But no sooner had the applause died down than the Chinese scored the equaliser. Chan Tak-fai, who had the ball under his control near the sailors' goal mouth, delivered a ground shot that might well have been saved by Robinson. But luck was against the Navy, and a player, in an attempt to save the ball, tipped the sphere high and upset Robinson's judgment.

The third goal was just as much of a bewilderment. Lee Wai-tong, who had the ball, delivered to Chan Tak-fai. Chan tricked the Navy's back and delivered a soft kick which found its mark. Just before half time, Chan Tak-fai, receiving the ball from Lee Shek-yau, scored his third

point for the Chinese. The result remained at 3-1 when the whistle blew.

### NAVY'S LATE ATTACK

Shortly after the commencement of the second half, Chan Tak-fai again netted a goal from a pass from Lee Shek-yau and followed with another opportunity. Chan scored his fifth goal with a hard shot from a distance of well over 20 yards.

Play then became more exciting as the Navy, although so many points behind, made great efforts to attack. About five minutes before the end, Phipps delivered a fine corner kick and Allison headed the ball in without difficulty.

The teams were:—  
SOUTH CHINA "A": Tam Kwan-kong; Mak Shu-hon, Hau Yung-sang; Leung Wing-chiu, Lam Tak-po, Sung Ling-sing; Tang Kwong-sung, Chan Tak-fai, Lee Wai-tong, Fung King-cheung, Lee Shek-yau.

NAVY: Robinson; Hendy, Hall; Hill, Hazard, Britt; Phipps, O'Riagan, Allison, Thoburn, Tunbison.

## FANLING GOLF TOURNEY

The following are the results of Junior Championship golf played at Fanling yesterday:—

W. Hewitt beat D. L. Prophet 7-6, I. W. Mayhew beat T. Low at the 19th, W. A. Stewart beat J. Linaker 6-5, W. L. Alexander beat L. Jackson 4-3, H. N. Williamson beat R. de L. Liesching 3-2, I. C. Taylor beat A. B. Purves 3-2, N. K. Littlejohn beat H. H. Mundy 2 up, A. H. McBride beat T. Magarry 6-5.

## TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were clocked during the morning gallops at the Race Course on January 20, 1940.

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	6th Qr.	Last Qr.
Forehand Drive A	1	33.1	1.05	1.33.3				28.3
Contact A	1	33.2	1.04.1	1.32.3				28.2
Busby's A and Quick	1	33.3	1.18	1.55.3	2.30.1	3.00		29.4
Despatch A	1	33.3	1.03.1	1.31				27.4
Circus A	1	37.3	1.12.2	1.40.3	2.12.3			32
Grand Allegiance A	1	37	1.13	1.43.3	2.15			28.2
Comet A	1	35.2	1.12.0	1.43.3	2.17.3			31
Rose Evelyn	1	42.3	1.24.1	1.56.4				32.3
Charles G	1	39	1.13	1.47.3	2.20	2.47.3		27.3
A Green Time A and	1	38.1	1.10	1.42.3	2.13.2			29.4
A Good Time A	1	41	1.15	1.46.2	2.13.2			27
Huckle View	1	34	1.04	1.34	2.02.2			28.2
Derby Day	1	36	1.11	1.46	2.15.2	2.43		27.3
Franklin A	1	32.4	1.05.2	1.34.2				29
Rodon A	1	36.2	1.13.3	1.45				31.2
Pamelo A	1	38	1.09	1.44				35
O-Land G	1	40	1.17	1.49	2.19.3			30.3
Guinness Time, Smiling	1	40.3	1.16.3	1.46.3				30
Time and This Time	1	32.2	1.02.2	1.31.4	1.58.4			27
Gay Star G and Hopeful	1	35	1.11.3	1.47.4	2.19.2			31.3
Star G	1	48	1.26	1.59	2.34	3.08	3.34.3	26.3
Rover G	1	36.3	1.15.3	1.50.1	2.20.1			30
Perola D'Orante A and	1	36	1.11	1.43.3	2.14.3			32.1
Ascot Day A	1	39.2	1.15	1.52.2	2.21.1	2.57.2		30.1
Rose Emily	1	38.2	1.12	1.40	2.04.4	2.33.2		28.3
Fair Chance A	1	41.3	1.17.4	1.48				30.1
Smashing Through G	1	35	1.08.3	1.41.3	2.13.1	2.42.2	3.12.3	29.1
Little Princess G	1	33.3	1.05	1.35.1	2.07.3			32.2
Attacking Time G	1	39.4	1.15	1.48.4	2.19			30.1
Race Day A	1	41	1.14	1.44.2	2.18	2.49.4		31.4
Alfalfa A	1	38	1.08.4	1.38.2				29.3

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	6th Qr.	Last Qr.
Craigavon G	1	41	1.13	1.55	2.27.2			32.2
Forty-two G	1	38	1.14.4	1.49.2	2.21.3			32.1
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Osage G	1	38.3	1.12	1.46.4	2.18.1			31.2
Mount Hope G	1	40.3	1.19	1.57	2.34.3	3.09	3.38.4	29.4
Winter	1	38	1.12.4	1.42				29.1
Advancing Time	1	40	1.17.3	1.49.2				31.4
Possible G	1	48	1.31	2.12	2.54	3.26		32
Shine Again A	1	34	1.06	1.37.3	2.04.3			27
Hyndford Bridge and	1	48.3	1.24	2.17.3	2.59	3.34.1		35.1
Kings Warden	1	42	1.19	1.56	2.29			33
National Pride	1	36.2	1.08.4	1.42				32.1
Red Feather	1	35.3	1.08.4	1.37				28.1
Lilber G	1	37.2	1.13	1.43.1				30.1
Melody Star A	1	34	1.08	1.33.3				27.3
Murray River	1	42	1.24	2.04	2.38			34
Winkle A	1	32	1.06.3	1.39.3	2.11.2			31.4
Laughing Girl	1	32	1.06.3	1.39.3	2.11.2			31.4
Courting Eve	1	30.2	1.02	1.35	2.05	2.32.3		27.3
Satinlight G	1	43.2	1.23	2.02	2.42	3.20	3.51.3	27.3
Pumpkinhead	1	38	1.12	1.46	2.14.2			28.2
Alax and Snowy River	1	31	1.06.1	1.28				27.4
A Boaring Time	1	32	1.02	1.32	2.04.1	2.33.3		29.2
Oak Bay	1	41	1.17.3	1.51	2.24.2			32.2
Tornado Star	1	35	1.10	1.42.1	2.13			30.4
Johnher G	1	49	1.15	1.51.3	2.25	2.53.4		28.4
Triumph Bay	1	33	1.05.3	1.37.3	2.05.3			31.1
Hughes G	1	30	5.9	1.26.2				28.2
Griffel	1	34	1.07	1.37.2				30.2
Peacocks	1	35	1.08	1.39.2	2.07.2			28
Vanity Fair A	1	35	1.07	1.37.2				30.2
Amicus Curiae A and	1	35	1.10.1	1.43.3	2.13.3			30
Kitti A	1	40	1.19	1.55.3	2.25			29.2
Bredon	1	38	1.13	1.46	2.19	2.46.4		28.4
Australian Prince A	1	32.3	1.02.4	1.31				28.1
Powerful Kid A	1	42	1.21	2.01	2.35	3.03.1		28.1
Shutcock A and War-	1	42.2	1.24.2	1.59.2	2.32.2	3.02	3.73.3	25.3
Australian Diamond A	1	42.2	1.18	1.52.2	2.21.4			29.2
Blue Diamond	1	37.3	1.14.3	1.48.3				34
Distinctive Time G	1	34	1.06	1.37.2				31.2
For All Time G and Just	1	37	1.08.2	1.40.1	2.09.4			29.3
Carriotte A and Cal-	1	40	1.17	1.54.3	2.29	2.59.4		30.4
Orther G	1	34.3	1.05.3	1.35.3	2.05.1			29.3
Nancy Lee A	1	41	1.18.2	1.55	2.25			30
Viken Tor	1	33	1.04.2	1.33.4	2.00.4			27
Far View A	1	33	1.04.2	1.33.4	2.00.4			27

## ASTLEY SCORES 2 FOR WALES

THEN ENGLAND GET  
3 IN 10 MINUTES

Wales ..... 2 England ..... 3  
For the second week in succession England met Wales in a Red Cross International, and a capacity crowd at Wrexham had a spate of thrills in a dramatic burst of goal-scoring immediately after the interval. Wales scored in the sixth and seventh minutes, only for England to reply with three goals within ten minutes.

When Matthews put Martin through a goal seemed certain, until T. G. Jones, the Welsh captain, headed away the Villa player's drive. Wales retaliated, and Redfern delivered a glorious shot, which Swift turned aside in dramatic fashion for a corner.

### BRILLIANT CENTRE

Astley struck the English cross-bar following a brilliant centre by Hopkins, and following another centre from the Brentford winger, Bryn Jones sent over the bar.

At the other end Martin struck the Welsh cross-bar after a brilliant dribble. Sproston fouled Cumner on the penalty line, and in a goal-mouth scrimmage that followed the free kick Swift saved smartly on the ground.

After six minutes of the second half Wales scored. As Swift carried a dropping ball from Cumner he was charged by Redfern and Astley shot into the net. Immediately afterwards Astley drilled round Cullis with astonishing ease and drove home a second goal.

England hit back and first Tom Jones, as at Cardiff the previous week, put through his own goal. He was trying to block a shot from Lawton. Next Martin equalised with a delightful low drive. Three minutes later Balmer put England ahead.

England played more confidently after gaining the advantage. Cullis was a commanding personality and broke up many Welsh attacks. Wales struggled hard to avoid defeat, and close on time Astley, who had changed places with Cumner, drove over the bar.

Wales: Sidlow (Wolves); Hughes (Birmingham), A. Smith (Chelsea); Burgess (Tottenham), T. G. Jones (Exeter), Witcomb (West Bromwich); Hopkins (Brentford), Redfern (Derby County), Astley (Blackpool), B. Jones (Arsenal), Cumner (Arsenal).

England: Swift (Man. City); Sproston (Man. City), Crook (Blackburn); Willingham (Huddersfield), Cullis (Wolves), Mercer (Exeter); Matthews (Stoke City), Martin (Aston Villa), Lawton (Exeter), Balmer (Liverpool), Brook (Man. City).

## SOFTBALL RESULTS

The following are the results of softball matches played yesterday:—

Ladies' League:—Recreio 18, Pirates 7; Wildcats 16, Cubs 4; Wahoons 6, Ball Club 1; Cardinals 22, Baby Panthers 9.  
Men's League:—Recreio "A" 11, English Forum 3; Recreio "B" 10, Philippine Club 1; International Athletic 6, Liga Portuguesa 4; Canadian Chinese 9, Machine Gunners 2; H.K. Ball Club 6, Baseballers 2.  
Friendly Match:—Recreio 10, U. S. S. Tulsa 4.

## HOME SOCCER

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—In the East Midland section of the Regional Football League played on Saturday, Chesterfield beat Mansfield by four goals to nil.

In the Western section of the Scottish League Motherwell beat Rangers by the narrow margin of one goal, the final score being two goals to one. All other matches in both leagues were postponed.

At Selhurst Park, England beat the Army by four goals to three in a football match played in aid of the Red Cross Fund.

## H.K.U. TENNIS FIXTURES

The following tennis tournament fixtures are scheduled to take place between Hongkong University players on their own courts:—  
Today:—S. Wong v. G. Gona; K. Y. Tam v. B. D. U.  
Wednesday:—C. K. Lee and C. K. Chai v. S. Wong and C. C. Ma; P. H. Yo v. H. P. Ong.

## Good Batting Performances On Saturday

FIRST DIVISION  
CRICKET LEAGUE  
SEASON OPENS

THE FIRST DIVISION LEAGUE CRICKET SEASON OPENED ON SATURDAY WITH A FULL PROGRAMME OF THREE MATCHES. Wins were recorded by Club de Recreio, last season's champions, by four wickets over Army at Sookunpoo, by Kowloon Cricket Club, winners over Craigengower by eight wickets at Cox's Road, and by the Indian Recreation Club, winners by nine wickets over University at Sookunpoo.

The best First Division batting performance of the day was Anderson's 75 not out for the K. C. C. against Craigengower, and the best bowling feat, A. H. Madar's six wickets for 24 runs for the I. R. C. against University.

### JUNIOR LEAGUE

In the Junior Division League, Craigengower Cricket Club completely upset Kowloon Cricket Club to win by the handsome margin of 78 runs. Club de Recreio accounted for the University by an even wider margin of 134 runs. The Army were held to a draw by Police Recreation Club at the Valley.

Scores in Saturday's cricket were:—

### FIRST DIVISION

At Sookunpoo, Club de Recreio beat Army by four wickets in a League match. Army 135 (Sgt. Denyer 41, Major Perri 23 not out, E. L. Gosano 6 for 87), Club de Recreio 142 for 7 wickets (J. Gosano 20, E. L. Gosano 47, N. Beltrao 29 not out, Pte Hatfield 3 for 36).

At Cox's Road, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Craigengower Cricket Club by eight wickets. Craigengower 151 for 9 wickets (F. R. Zimmerman 44, E. Zimmerman 37, N. D. Lloyd 3 for 67, D. J. N. Anderson 5 for 23), K. C. C. 157 for 2 wickets (D. J. N. Anderson 75 not out, E. F. Fincher 28, N. A. E. Mackay 26 not out).

At Sookunpoo, Indian Recreation Club beat the University by nine wickets in a League match. University 89 (G. Hong Choy 21, A. R. Minu 4 for 32, A. H. Madar 6 for 24), Indian R. C. 132 for 4 wickets (K. Nazarin 54, A. R. Kitchell 25, Yal Arculli 23 not out, R. Singh 3 for 58).

At Chater Road, Civil Service Cricket Club drew with Hongkong Cricket Club in a friendly match. H. K. C. C. 232 for 4 wickets (H. Owen-Hughes 72, T. A. Pearce 102 retired, J. L. C. Pearce 22), C. S. C. C. 175 for 5 wickets (J. E. Richardson 100 not out, T. V. N. Fortescue 21).

### SECOND DIVISION

At the Valley, Craigengower Cricket Club beat Kowloon Cricket Club by 73 runs in a League match. C. C. C. 2nd XI 147 for 9 wickets (W. G. Taylor 4 for 32), K. C. C. 2nd XI 69 (B. R. Rance 4 for 21, W. Way 3 for 9).

At King's Park, Club de Recreio beat University by 134 runs in a League match. Recreio 2nd XI 172 for 4 wickets (H. M. Xavier 58 not out, A. J. M. Prata 23, M. A. Remedios 29, H. A. Barros 51), University 2nd XI 38 (J. E. Noronha 8 for 21, A. M. Prata 3 for 8).

At Happy Valley, Army drew with Police Recreation Club in a League match. Army 2nd XI 196 for 9 wickets (C. Q. M. S. Paterson 21, Capt. Whitman 50, Lt. Fergus 56, Capt. Lawrence 26, A. E. Carey 3 for 24), Police R. C. 118 for 9 wickets (W. L. Clarke 35, P. H. Loughlin 23, J. L. Stephens 21, Lt. Peal 3 for 17).

At Happy Valley, Hongkong Cricket Club juniors beat Civil Service Cricket Club 2nd XI by 34 runs in a friendly match. H. K. C. C. 2nd XI 143 for 8 wickets (H. J. D. Lowe 30, E. J. R. Mitchell 63 not out, R. G. Robertson 4 for 42), C. S. C. C. 2nd XI 109 (K. T. Attwell 40, F. Harper 34, D. S. Robb 5 for 27).

## KUN TUNG BAY RECLAMATION

It is understood that a scheme in connection with the Hongkong prison reform plans is likely to commence sometime next month. Preparations are being made to employ prison labour for the reclamation of Kun Tung Bay, on the eastern side of Kowloon Bay, and the first stage of providing concentration camp for prisoners will start work in the near future.

## And Bowling

VARSITY TEAM FOR  
BADMINTON

The Hongkong University "B" badminton team, which is to play against the Chinese "Y" at the latter's court this evening, is to be represented by the following:—  
T. C. Pang, P. K. Chan, S. L. Yung, K. L. Hu, C. K. Cheah, K. E. Low.

## Lighting Control Amendments

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Lighting Control Ordinance, 1936, the Governor in Council hereby makes the following amendments to the regulations published as Government Notification No. 656 in the Gazette of the 14th July 1939, as subsequently amended by Government Notification No. 824 published in the Gazette Extraordinary of 20th September, 1939.

### AMENDMENTS

1. Regulation 3 is amended by the deletion of "(1)" at the beginning thereof and by the addition thereto of the following paragraph at the end thereof:—  
(c) Street lights which cannot be extinguished within three minutes.

2. Regulation of the words "railway carriages" between the word "in" and the word "well-lit" in the second line thereof.

3. Regulation 9 is amended by the addition of "(1)" between the figure "9" and the word "vehicles" in the first line thereof.

4. Paragraphs (d) and (e) of regulation 9 (1) are rescinded and the following paragraph is substituted therefor:—  
(d) In every lamp (except traffic direction indicators), any glass through which light may pass must be completely obscured with at least two thicknesses of ordinary blue close woven cloth or paint, and no such cloth or paint may be wetted, oiled, varnished or treated in any other way to increase its transparency.

5. Paragraph (2) of regulation 9 is rescinded and the following paragraph is substituted therefor:—  
(2) No head light may be lit on any vehicle which is also fitted with side lights. Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall, in relation to any head light, confer any exemption from compliance with paragraph (1) of this regulation.

6. The proviso at the end of regulation 9 is numbered as paragraph (3) of that regulation and the words "Provided that" at the beginning of that proviso are rescinded.

7. Regulation 11 is

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MONEY AND EXCHANGE  
CLOSING QUOTATIONS  
JANUARY 20, 1940.

On London:—	
Telegraphic Transfer.	1/2 13 16
Bank Bills, on demand	1/2 13 16
Credits 4 months' sight	1/2 13 32
On Shanghai:—	
On demand	290
On Singapore:—	
On demand	1/2 1/2
On Japan:—	
On demand	103 1/2
On India:—	
Telegraphic Transfer.	1/2 1/8
and demand	1/2 1/8
On New York:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	24 7/16
Credits, 60 days' sight	24 1/16
On Batavia:—	
On demand	40 3/8
On Paris:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	1/2 1/8
Credits 4 months' sight	1/2 1/8
On Saigon:—	
On demand	108 1/4
On Manila:—	
On demand	48 7/8
On Bangkok:—	
On demand	150 1/4
Sterling Notes:—	
Bank Buying Rate	1/33 3/4
Bar Silver per oz.	22

Market Report  
FROM ROZA BEOS.

Silver prices dropped 1/4 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations remaining at 22 for both Ready and Forward. Silver advances reported Speculators as having sold and India as having bought. The market was steady but quiet. American Silver was quoted at 34 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 40 1/2. New York-London was quoted at 39 1/4.

## Market

There were sellers at 1/2 29/32 January-March and 1/2 7/8 April-May, buyers at 1/2 31/32 Cash and 1/2 15/16 February.

U.S. Dollars  
There were sellers at 24 5/8 January and 24 1/2 February, buyers at 24 11/16 Cash and 24 5/8 February.

Shanghai Dollars  
Sellers at 305 1/2, buyers at 306.

Shanghai Market  
Sterling opened with sellers at 4 27/32 for Spot and towards the close sellers were quoted at 4 55/64 for Spot. U.S. Dollars sellers at 8 for Spot.

Shanghai Exchange  
Shanghai, Jan. 20 (Reuter).

Official T.T. Rates  
London 0/4-1/2  
New York 7-3/8  
Japan 31-1/4  
India 24-7/8  
Paris 3-30  
Hongkong 30-1/8

Sellers  
Spot 0/4-27/32 0/4-55/64  
Jan. 0/4-27/32 0/4-55/64  
Feb. 0/4-25/32 0/4-51/64

U.S. Dollars  
Spot \$8 \$8  
Jan. 8  
Feb. 7-7/8 7-7/8

Market:—Quiet.

Merchant Rates  
Sterling, 0/4-13/16  
U.S. Dollars, 7-15/16.

Silver Duty Rate  
The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. today was 1/2-1/24.

The Equalisation rate was 10-1/4 per cent.

New York Exchange  
New York, Jan. 20 (Reuter).

T.T. on London (Opening Rate), 3.96-3/8.

Calcutta Exchange  
Calcutta, Jan. 20 (Reuter).

T.T. on Japan, 79-7/8.

## SILVER MARKET

BOMBAY SILVER  
Bombay, Jan. 20 (Reuter).

Market—Steady. Offtake 100 bars Indian Mint Silver

Ready 58-07  
Feb. 3 Settlement 58-09  
Mar. 4 Settlement 58-10

## LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, Jan. 19 (Reuter).

TIN  
ouvers sellers

Standard, Cash 234 1/2 234 3/4  
Standard, 3 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 6 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 9 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 12 months 234 1/2 235

Standard, 15 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 18 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 21 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 24 months 234 1/2 235

Standard, 27 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 30 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 33 months 234 1/2 235  
Standard, 36 months 234 1/2 235

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COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW  
(FROM PAYNE & CO.)

New York, January 20.				
	Previous	January 20		
	Closing	Opening	Closing	Change
SINGAPORE RUBBER				
Spot	38-3/4	38-3/4	38-1/2	off 1/4
APRIL-JUNE	38-5/8	38-5/8	38-5/8	unch.
JULY-SEPT.	35-5/8	35-5/8	35-1/2	off 1/8
The market was idle.				
LONDON RUBBER				
Spot	12 pence			
APRIL-JUNE	11-7/8			
JULY-SEPT.	11-11/16			
The market was closed.				

NEW YORK COTTON: The market displayed remarkable absorbing power. There was a substantial volume of selling throughout the day, which mostly came from houses with foreign connections. The tone was technically improved.

NEW YORK RUBBER: Consumption in the United States for the first quarter of the year is estimated at around 140,000 tons. There was some speculative liquidation while dealer offerings were limited at the decline.

CHICAGO WHEAT: The bearish interpretation of the Canadian crop estimate was responsible for the early easiness today. While Trade and small domestic flour demand improved the technical position of the market.

NEW YORK STOCKS: Previous close, 145.86; Today's close 145.84; Change, off 22.

NEW YORK COMMODITY MARKET  
(REUTER'S SERVICE)

	High	Low	Close	Change
New York Cotton, Mar.	11.20	10.99	11.00	unch.
New York Rubber, Mar.	19.10	18.05	19.19	12 off
Chicago Wheat, May	10 1/4	10 1/4	10 1/4	unch.
Chicago Corn, May	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	unch.
New York Hides, Mar.	14.31	14.29	14.28	14.33N .05 up

NEW YORK COTTON  
March 11.00/00 11.00/00 11.00/00 unch.  
May 10.37/37 10.37/37 10.37/37 unch.  
July 10.37/37 10.37/37 10.37/37 .01 up  
October (New contract) 10.57 N 10.58/58 10.58 N .01 off  
October ( ) 9.76/76 9.76/76 9.76/76 .02 off  
December ( ) 9.68 N 9.70/71 9.67/67 .01 off  
January ( ) 9.68/69 9.68/69 9.68/69 unch.  
Spot 11.24 N 11.24 N unch.

Volume (in contract of 100 bales each) 79,700 bales

NEW YORK RUBBER  
March 19.19/20 19.10/10 19.07/08 12 off  
May 18.79/79 18.60/79a 18.68 N 11 off  
July 18.68/67 18.58/55 18.60/50 16 off  
September 18.46/46 18.25 B 18.25 B 21 off  
December 18.25 N 18.12/12 18.12/12 13 off

Total sales for the day—180 tons.

CHICAGO WHEAT  
May 10 1/4 10 1/4 10 1/4 10 1/4 unch.  
July 98 1/8 98 1/8 98 1/8 98 1/8 1 off  
September 98 1/8 98 1/8 98 1/8 98 1/8 1 off

Friday's sales—20,984,000 bushels.

CHICAGO CORN  
May 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2 unch.  
July 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2 1 up  
September 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2 1 up

WINNIPEG WHEAT  
May 87 1/8 86 1/8 86 1/8 86 1/8 1 off  
July 87 1/8 86 1/8 86 1/8 86 1/8 1 off  
September 86 1/8 86 1/8 86 1/8 86 1/8 1 off

NEW YORK HIDES  
March 14.28/28 14.30b/35a 14.33 N .05 up  
June 14.57/58 14.57b/61a 14.60/60 unquoted  
New York, Official 34-3/4  
NY-London Cross Rate 3.96-1/4

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

London, Jan. 19.  
The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

War Loan 3 1/2 (Red after 1952)	97 1/2
Canton-Ryoon Ry. 5%	16
Chinese 4 1/2% Gold Loan, 1928 (Brit. Issue)	60
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1924-47	50
China 4 1/2% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	50
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	30
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	42
Chinese 8% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	12
China Imperial Ry. 5% Loan	55
Honan Ry. 5%	18
Hukang Ry. 5%, 1911	19
Hukang Ry. 6%, 1911 (German Issue)	17
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Ry. 5% 1913	14
S'hai-N'king Ry. 5%	20
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	10
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5%	10
German Stpd.	16
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	16
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	16
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	55
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1924	58 1/2
Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	7 1/2
Chartered Bank	8 1/2
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	85
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.)	86
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	18
Chosen Corporation	6 1/2
Pekin Syndicate	1 1/2
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co.	13
S'hai Waterworks, "A"	12
Union Insurance	25
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	22 1/2
Allied Ironfounders	14
Asso. & Elec. Industries	38 1/4
Austin Motors, ord.	15 1/2
Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord.	50
B.-A. Tob. (bearer)	9 1/2
Mercantile Bank	11 1/2
Cammell Laird, ord.	8
Mexican Eagle	6 1/2
Courtaulds	35 1/2
Distillers	68 1/2
Dunlop Rubber	20 1/2
Gen. Electric (England)	75 1/2
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	78 1/2

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

QUOTATION  
(REUTER'S SERVICE)

STOCKS		Jan. 20	STOCKS		Jan. 20
Adams Express	8		Iskey Foundry & Mac.	4	
Allegheny Steel Co.	18 1/2		Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	49 1/2	
Allied Stores	8		Lockheed Aircraft	30	
Allis Chalmers	37		Loew's Inc.	35 1/2	
Aluminum Ltd.	102 1/2		Mac Truck Inc.	24 1/2	
Amer. Can.	114 1/2		Martin, Glenn L.	36 1/2	
American Cyanamid B.	34 1/2		McKesson & Robbins, pfd.	105	
Amer. & Foreign Power	2		Montgomery Ward	50 1/2	
Amer. & Foreign P. pf.	24 1/2		National Aviation	11 1/2	
American Gas & Elec.	38		Nat. Dairy Products	16 1/2	
Amer. Locomotive	19 1/2		Nat. Distillers	23 1/2	
Amer. Metals Co.	23		National Gypsum	10 1/2	
Amer. Radiator	9 1/2		Nat. Lead	19 1/2	
Amer. Rolling Mill	15 1/2		Nat. Power & Light	8 1/2	
Amer. S'ing and Ring Co.	46 1/2		National Steel Corp.	65	
Amer. Sugar Refining	18 1/2		Nat. Supply Corp.	8 1/2	
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	17 1/2		New York Central	16	
Amer. Tobacco "B"	88 1/2		Niagara Hudson Power	5 1/2	
Amer. Waterworks	10 1/2		N. American Aviation	24 1/2	
Anacosta Copper	26 1/2		North American Co.	21 1/2	
Atchafalpa T. & S. Fe.	22 1/2		Northern Pacific	8	
Auburn Motors	2 1/2		Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	62 1/2	
Baltimore & Ohio	5 1/2		Pacific Gas & Elec.	33 1/2	
Barber Asphalt Co.	13 1/2		Pacific Lighting	48 1/2	
Barnsdall Oil	12		Packard Motors	41 1/2	
Bendix Aviation	28		Paramount Pictures	7 1/2	
Bethlehem Steel	71 1/2		Pennsylvania R.R.	21 1/2	
Bilco & Co.	12 1/2		Phelps-Dodge	38	
Boeing Airplane Co.	23 1/2		Phillips Petroleum	39 1/2	
Borg-Warner	23 1/2		Pittsburgh Coke & Iron	7 1/2	
Biggs Manufacturing	18 1/2		Public Service of N.J.	39 1/2	
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	16		Pulman Inc.	27 1/2	
Brooklyn-Manhattan 36	53 1/2		Pure Oil	8 1/2	
Canadian Pacific Rwy.	5		Radio Corp. of Am.	6	
Case, J. I.	70		Reading Company, com.	15 1/2	
Celanese	27 1/2		Reading Company, 1st pfd.	25 1/2	
Chesapeake & Ohio	39 1/2		Remington Arms Co. Inc.	41 1/2	
Chrysler Corp.	82 1/2		Republic Aviation Corp.	6	
Climax-Molybdenum Co.	37		Republic Steel	19 1/2	
Colts Patent Fire-Arms	77 1/2		Revere Cop. & Brass Inc.	12 1/2	
Columbia Gas & E.	61		Reynold Tobac. "B"	41 1/2	
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	89		Richfield Oil	5 1/2	
Bridgeport Brass Corp.	10 1/2		Safeway Stores	46 1/2	
Commercial Credit Co.	46 1/2		Schenley Distillers	12 1/2	
Cord & Southern (ord.)	14		Sears Roebuck	82 1/2	
Consolidated Edison	31 1/2		Shell Union Oil	12 1/2	
Consolidated Oil	42		Soco-Vacuum Oil	12	
Continental Can.	71 1/2		Southern Pacific	13 1/2	
Continental Oil	23 1/2		Southern Ry. 5 1/2 pfd.	23 1/2	
Copperhead Steel	15 1/2		Sperry	43 1/2	
Corn Products	63 1/2		Spicer Manufacturing Co.	30 1/2	
Curtiss Wright (C)	94		Standard Brands	7 1/2	
Curtiss Wright "A"	28 1/2		Stand Gas & Elec.	15	
Deere & Co.	20 1/2		Standard Oil of California	25	
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	19		Standard Oil of N.J.	44 1/2	
Douglas Aircraft	78 1/2		Stones & Webster	11 1/2	
Du Pont de Nemours	180		Studebaker Com.	9 1/2	
Eagle Picher Lead	10 1/2		Swift International	32	
Eaton Mfg. Co.	30 1/2		Technicolor	14 1/2	
Elec. Anticline	35 1/2		Texas Corp.	44 1/2	
Elec. Bond & Share	71 1/2		Texas Gulf Sulphur	33 1/2	
Elec. Bond & Share 5 1/2 pf.	57 1/2		Trans-America Co.	5 1/2	
Elec. Bond & Share 5 1/2 pf.	57 1/2		20th Cent. Fox	11 1/2	
Elec. Power & Light 5 1/2 pf.	82		20th Cent. Fox 5 1/2 pf.	24 1/2	
Flintkote	14 1/2		Union Carbide & Carbon	80 1/2	
Flintkote	14 1/2		Union Pacific	93	
Gen. American Trans.	52 1/2		United Aircraft	46	
Gen. Electric	38 1/2		United Airlines Trans.	15 1/2	
Gen. Motors	52 1/2		United Corp.	2 1/2	
Gen. Railway Signal	16 1/2		United Gas Corp.	13	
Gen. Tire & Rubber	22		United Gas Improvement	14 1/2	
Glidden Co.	17 1/2		Timken-Axle	21 1/2	
Goodrich (B.F.)	64		U.S. Industrial Alcohol	23	
Goodrich 5 1/2 pf.	24		U.S. Rubber	37	
Goodyear Tire & Co.	62 1/2		U.S. Rubber 5 1/2 pfd.	11 1/2	
Great Northern Iron Ore	15		U.S. Steel	57 1/2	
Great Northern Ry. pfd.	23 1/2		Vanadium	29 1/2	
Great Western Sugar	27 1/2		Walworth Co.	5 1/2	
Greyhound Corp.	19 1/2		Warner Bros. Pict.	34	
Herules Powder Co.	90		Westinghouse Elec.	108	
Homestead Mining	55		Woodward Iron Cor.	22 1/2	
International Harvester	59 1/2		Chase National Bank	—	
Int. Nickel	4 1/2		National City Bank	—	
Int. Tel. & Tel.	72 1/2				
J. & Laughlin Steel 5 1/2 pfd.	58 1/2				
Kennecott Copper	35 1/2				

## DOW JONES AVERAGE

	Jan. 19	Jan. 20	Change
High	155.5	151.4	4.1
Low	151.4	147.3	4.1
Dow Jones Average	145.86	145.84	.02 off
30 Industrials	30.24	30.19	.05 up
30 RAIL	25.10	25.10	.00
30 UTILITIES	25.10	25.10	.00
30 BONDS	89.46	89.31	.15 up
30 COMMODITY INDEX	91.41	91.23	.18 off
Business Done	—	—	—

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## WEATHER REPORT

Hongkong Royal Observatory  
10 a.m., Jan. 21.  
Barometer, (at sea level), 30.08 ins.  
Temperature, 63 F.  
Humidity, 86 per cent.  
Wind Direction, S/E  
Wind Force, (Beaufort), 4.  
Temperature; maximum yesterday 65 F.  
Temperature, minimum last night, 61 F.  
Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10 a.m. today, 0.00 ins.  
Total rainfall since January 1st 0.02 ins.  
Against an average of 0.53 ins.  
Sunset to-night 6.64 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow, 7.05 a.m.

4 p.m., Jan. 21.  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.90 ins.  
Temperature, 64 F.  
Humidity, 79 F.  
Wind Direction, E.  
Wind force (Beaufort), 4.  
Maximum temperature, 65 F.  
Minimum temperature, 61 F.  
Rainfall, nil.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 22 to 28 Jan. 1940.

HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
Days of Week	Time	Days of Week	Time
Mon. 22	h.m. 09 08	Tue. 23	h.m. 01 34
Tue. 23	15 51	Wed. 24	08 53
Wed. 24	08 53	Thur. 25	15 35
Thur. 25	15 35	Fri. 26	02 10
Fri. 26	02 10	Sat. 27	09 08
Sat. 27	09 08	Sun. 28	15 51
Sun. 28	15 51		

## COLONY HEALTH

Two cases of small-pox, twenty-seven cases of tuberculosis, seven cases of chicken-pox five cases of dysentery, three cases of enteric fever, two cases of cerebro-spinal fever (one imported), and one case of diphtheria were notified to the Health Department on Jan. 19.

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Hong Kong, 19th Jan., 1940. [30]

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

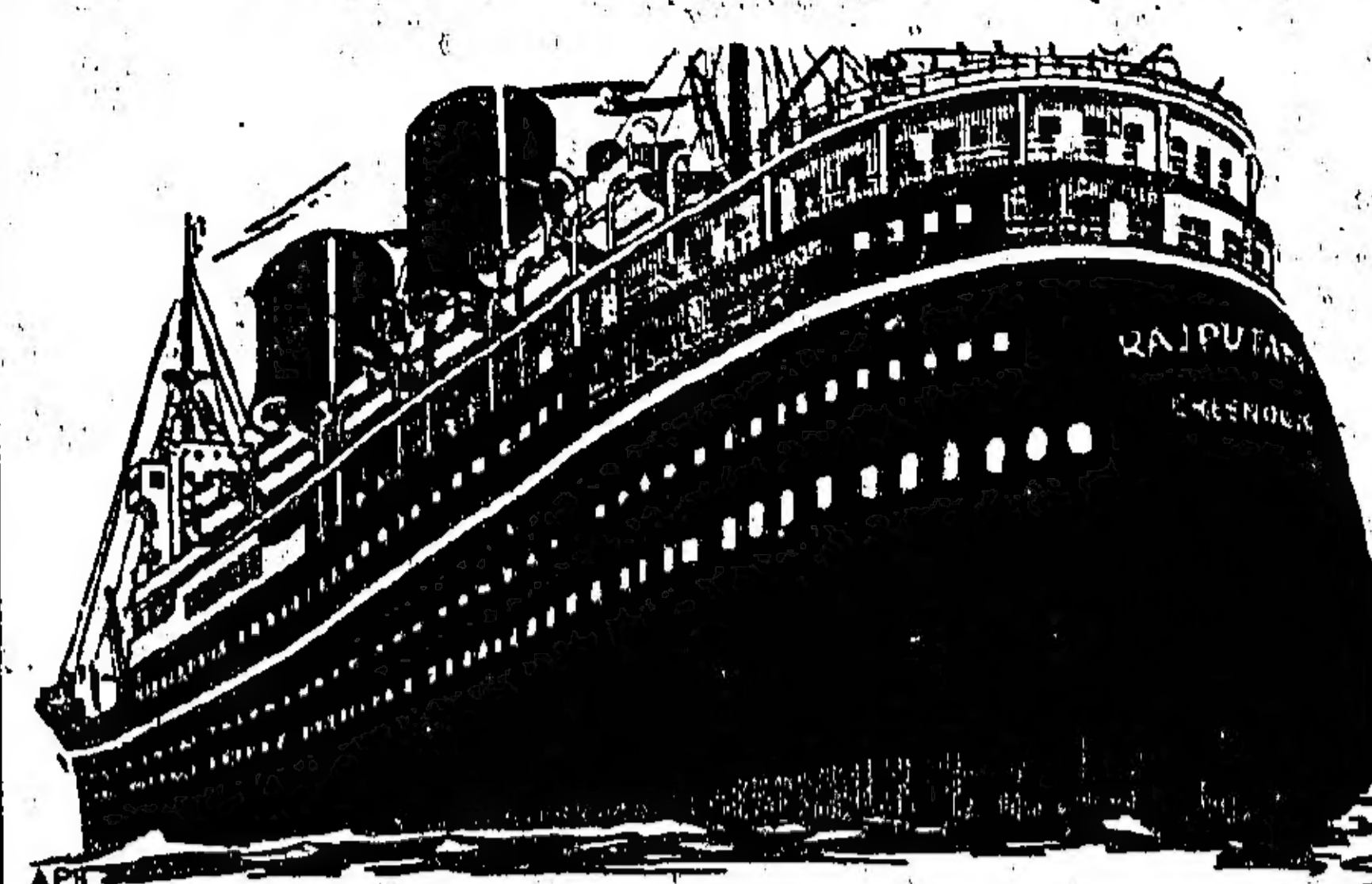
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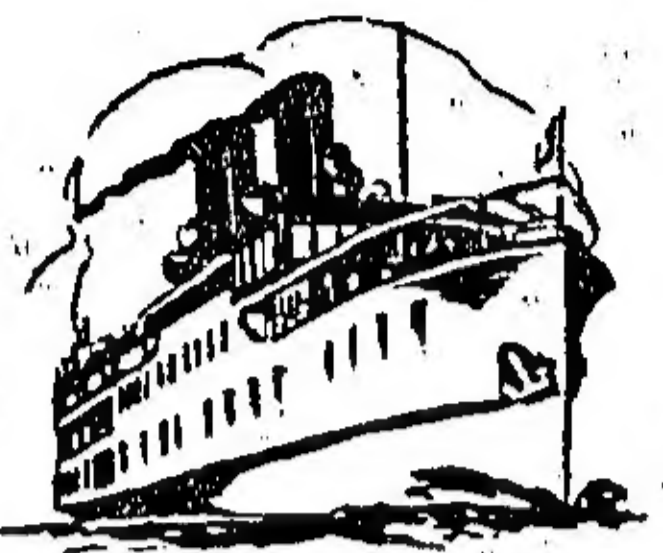
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HONGKONG, MONDAY, 22nd JANUARY, 1940, 9.30 A.M.

Restricted Parcel Post Service to Yunnan and Yunnan Province has been resumed. Individual parcels in small quantities for personal use may be accepted.

A list of prohibited articles may be seen at the General Post Office.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

**INWARD MAILS**

From	Due
Haiphong	22nd Jan.
Haiphong and Hocho	22nd Jan.
Shanghai	23rd Jan.
Java and Manila	23rd Jan.
Strait	23rd Jan.
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris date 17th January.	24th Jan.
Shanghai	24th Jan.
Canton	24th Jan.
U. S. A., Honolulu, and Japan (San Francisco, date 23rd December 1939).	24th Jan.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 13th January	25th Jan.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London, date, 17th January.	25th Jan.
Calcutta, Straits and Saigon	25th Jan.
Shanghai	25th Jan.
Shanghai	25th Jan.
Japan	25th Jan.
Manila	25th Jan.
Manila	25th Jan.
Haiphong	25th Jan.
Japan	25th Jan.
Japan and Shanghai	25th Jan.
Japan and Shanghai	25th Jan.
Shanghai	25th Jan.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 26th January	25th Jan.
Japan and Shanghai	25th Jan.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco date, 4th January)	25th Jan.
Manila	25th Jan.
Japan and Shanghai	25th Jan.
Shanghai	25th Jan.
Japan and Shanghai	25th Jan.
Java and Manila	25th Jan.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai—(Vancouver B.C. date, 11th Jan.)	25th Jan.
Calcutta and Straits	25th Jan.
Shanghai	25th Jan.

**OUTWARD MAILS**

Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m., Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m.

For	Date and Time
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Mon. 22nd</b>
Canton	7.15 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, and Europe via Suez and London—Parcels—due London, 3rd March	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Ord. 8.30 AM
Saloon	8.30 AM
Bangkok	Noon
Haiphong	1.00 PM
Straits	2.30 PM
Canton	7.00 PM
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Tue. 23rd</b>
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	8.30 AM
Fort Bayard	1.30 PM
Amoy and Shanghai	2.30 PM
Manila, Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Naples—due Naples, 16th February.	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 2.45 PM Ord. 3.30 PM
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 31st January.	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia, by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 29th January.	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Wed. 24th</b>
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	10.30 AM
Shanghai and Parcels only for Tientsin.	2.30 PM
Airmail for Indo-China, Iran, and France (Paris and Northern Provinces only) by the "Air France Airways Direct Service"—due Paris, 1st February.	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Thu. 25th</b>
Sandakan	8.30 AM
Shanghai (Parcels only)	2.30 PM
Haiphong	3.00 PM
Shanghai and Japan	3.30 PM
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Fri. 26th</b>
Shanghai and Parcels only for Tientsin.	10.30 AM
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U. S. A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 1st Feb.	K.P.O. Reg. 25th 5.00 PM Ord. 25th 5.30 PM
Straits	G.P.O. Reg. 25th 5.00 PM Ord. 25th 5.30 PM
Fort Bayard, and Hocho	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island 8th February	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM

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**Readjusting Kwangtung's Finance**

LINHSIEN, January 21 (Central).—Mr. Y. C. Koo, Finance Commissioner for Kwangtung, has announced four important measures for readjusting the province's finance for the new year. These measures include the unification of tax collecting machinery, reform of the preventive service, reorganization of the business tax, and abolition of miscellaneous and exorbitant levies.

Since his assumption of office, Mr. Koo has achieved notable success in balancing Kwangtung's provincial finance. Despite the extension of the war activities, the provincial treasury during the last several months was able to meet all expenses estimated roughly at over \$2,000,000 per month. At the end of the last year, there was actually a surplus of more than \$4,000,000 in the treasury.

**TAXATION REFORM**

The policy of Mr. Koo, it is announced, is on the one hand to establish a progressive personnel system of which young men on proved ability and integrity will be its nucleus, and on the other to thoroughly reform the taxation system.

To make up the loss to the provincial treasury following the fall of Canton and Swatow and to meet the increasing demand for funds during the war, Mr. Koo's decision to readjust the provincial business tax obtained very good results. The present starting rate of per cent, progressively increasing to a maximum of 1 per cent, it is pointed out compares favourably with the rate prevailing in other provinces.

Regarding the abolition of exorbitant levies, a time limit of three months has been set for this to be done.

**Hungarian Railway Restrictions**

BUDAPEST, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—Owing to difficulties in the coal supply, the Ministry of Commerce has issued an order stating that from Tuesday there will be considerable restrictions on railway traffic until March 10.

The freezing up of the Danube and transport difficulties across Russian-occupied Poland have made Hungarian railway an important link for Germany's traffic with the Balkans.

**FRENCH COUNCIL OF MINISTERS**

PARIS, Jan. 21 (Reuter).—The French Council of Ministers met this morning for the first time in the Defence Ministry. Usually the meetings are held at the President's Palace.

This departure from custom was due to the fact that the Premier, M. Daladier, has not yet entirely recovered from the accident in which he fractured his foot.

M. Lebrun was greeted by a guard of honour consisting of the Garde Republicaine when he arrived.

**FULL NAVAL HONOURS**

**FUNERAL OF SURG. LIEUT. RINGDAHL**

The funeral of the late Surgeon-Lieut. Knut Erik Alaf Ringdahl, R.N.R., who died in the Naval Hospital on Friday, following a short illness, took place on Saturday at the Colonial Cemetery with full Naval honours.

Deceased who was 34 years of age, was attached to H.M.S. Birmingham.

**FLORAL TRIBUTES**

Floral tributes were sent by: Huddier Ringdahl, Commander and Officers of the Hongkong Naval Volunteers, Medical Staff of the Royal Naval Hospital, Sisters of the Royal Naval Hospital, the Commander-in-Chief, Officers and men of the China Station, Mrs. R. Langley, Lieut. Comdr and Mrs. Holmes, Lieut. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Barwell, Surgeon-Captain and Mrs. G. V. Hobbs, and many others.

**MR. OSCAR BENSON**

The funeral of Mr. Oscar Benson, managing partner of Brewer's Book Shop, took place at the Colonial Cemetery on Saturday, when the Rev. J. R. Higgs officiated.

**ATTENDANCE**

Besides the chief mourners, Mr. Carroll and Mr. Fred Lenfestey, those present at the graveside included Messrs. Frank W. White, E. J. Ainslie, E. Abraham, F. E. Nash, R. Abraham, W. Goldenberg, D. O. Silver, J. Gibson, J. R. Suter, J. Edgar, K. Seyer, R. Pestonji, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. N. Capell, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. S. A. Gray, Mrs. J. Edgar, Miss Gourdin, Mrs. Passmore, Miss Braga, Mrs. Huggan, Mr. F. W. Stapleton, Mr. S. E. Green, Mr. L. Tobias and many others.

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**PTE. N. G. OLIVER**

The late Private Norman George Oliver, of the Middlesex Regiment, whose funeral took place at the Catholic Cemetery in the afternoon of Saturday, died at the Military Hospital in the morning after a short illness caused by blood poisoning.

The Rev. Father J. P. Ward officiated.

He joined the Army as a guards-

**PASSENGERS**

**Arrivals And Departures**

Passengers arriving from Shanghai by a Dutch liner yesterday were Mr. W. A. Ankersen, Mrs. W. M. Arnold, Mr. E. Lesar, Arnold, Mr. N. G. Beale, Mr. F. Bunn, Mr. P. K. Chen, Mr. M. C. Chen, Mrs. Ceng Chueong, Mr. O. S. Choy, Mr. J. Coster, Master J. V. C. Davis and Miss A. B. C. Davis, Miss M. Dahan, Mr. C. T. Dong.

Mr. A. R. H. Esmail, Mrs. E. Evans, Mr. S. L. Frost, Mr. E. Foulard, Mr. A. P. Groves, Mrs. B. D. Horner, Mrs. Dr. Beulah Huang, Mr. W. J. Kelley, Mr. K. C. Heung, Mr. S. Y. Lo, Mr. T. L. Lee, Mrs. Ng San Sang, Mr. and Mrs. V. I. C. Petersen, Mr. Phos Se On, Mr. C. C. Vines, Miss A. Wang, Miss T. Y. We, Mr. T. Wu and Mr. Laurence Zin. Passengers from Amoy were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Davis, and Master M. Davis.

Through passengers for Manila were Mr. T. B. Brown, Mr. R. Cohendet and Mr. Gaw Uh. Through passengers for the Indies were Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Cheape (for Boeleleng), and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mershon (for Sourabaya).

**RELIEF FUND FOR FUKIEN REFUGEES**

In response to an appeal by General Chen Yi, Chairman of the Fukien Provincial Government, Mr. Aw Boon Haw, well-known Chinese industrial magnate and philanthropist, has donated \$10,000 (Chinese currency) for the relief of war refugees in Fukien.

Mr. Cheng Yu-shu, Vice-Chairman of the Fukienese Guild in Hongkong, has also donated \$2,000. Mr. Lin Chin-tien \$1,000 and Mr. Li P-shu \$500.

The total of \$13,500 has been remitted to the Fukien Provincial Government through the Hongkong branch of the Fukien Provincial Bank.

The following additions have been made to the Chinese banks permitted to sell Chinese currency and to remit money to China subject to such limits and on such conditions as have been notified to each bank individually:—Hongkong and Swatow Commercial Bank Ltd., The Agricultural and Industrial Bank of China, Sincua Trust and Savings Bank Ltd.

man and was soon transferred to the Middlesex Regiment in April, 1937.

Present at the funeral were Lieut.-Col. Newnham, Major S. F. Hedgecoe, Captain W. H. Chattey, Captain M. A. Jacob, Lieut. C. M. M. Man, Lieut. M. P. Weedon, and a company of the Middlesex Regiment.

**LIST OF WREATHS**

Wreaths were sent from Major-General A. E. Grasett and the China Command, Officers of Middlesex Regiment, Brigade Commander and Staff Officers, W.O.s and Sergeant Mess. All ranks, Middlesex Regiment, Headquarters, Middlesex, C. B. M. Priddy, Lieut. C. M. M. Man, Lt. M. P. Weedon, Members of the Corporation's Mess, the Officer Commanding and details Seaforth Highlanders, Sergeant Powell, and many others.

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